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Welcome to EC

Last year we helped over 45,000 students from 140 countries to achieve their language goals and realise their dreams. Here are just a few of the many reasons to choose EC.

Incredible locations

From Times Square, New York, to South Beach in Miami, to London's Covent Garden, we are always centrally located in the most exciting destinations throughout the US, Canada, UK, Malta and South Africa.

Beautiful, modern schools

We offer the best environment for effective learning and positive, informal interaction. Our schools are stylish, comfortable spaces, filled with natural light and the latest technology.

The best teachers and staff

The EC team exists to support you and ensure you have an amazing time with us. Professional, helpful and friendly, you will receive the best service and care from all of our staff.

Reach your goals, guaranteed

Whatever your reasons for learning, we have everything you need to make your dreams a reality. We are so confident you will reach your language goals with us, we guarantee it!

A global community

Our students come from over 140 countries worldwide. You will learn about different cultures, broaden your world view and make lasting friendships as you practise and improve your language skills together.

A complete experience

Living and learning abroad is a truly unique experience. Outside of the classroom, your diary will be full of exciting social events and excursions as you explore your destination.

Accreditations

Our schools are accredited by the leading associations in their respective countries and also by major international organisations.

Awards

We have been nominated for the STM Star Chain School Award every year but one since the awards began. In 2011 we won this prestigious title, and in 2009 and 2010 we were awarded the Star Innovation Award.





Amazing Destinations

White sand and crystal blue sea, South Beach, Miami, USA

Live and learn in the heart of the world's coolest cities.

USA

With its enormous, awe-inspiring landscapes and cities, the USA is a destination that cannot be missed. From the great Ivy League universities to the pop music industry and the bright lights of Hollywood, the USA's infectious culture influences the English language spoken around the world.

Boston | New York | Washington | San Diego |
San Francisco | Los Angeles | Miami | On Campus
at Fredonia & Oswego (State University of New York)

Canada

Where snow-peaked mountains join freshwater lakes, and huge forests meet thriving, cosmopolitan cities, Canada has an endless array of landscapes. And as the world's second largest country, with two official languages - English and French - and an eclectic mix of cultures, Canada really has it all.

Montreal | Toronto | Vancouver



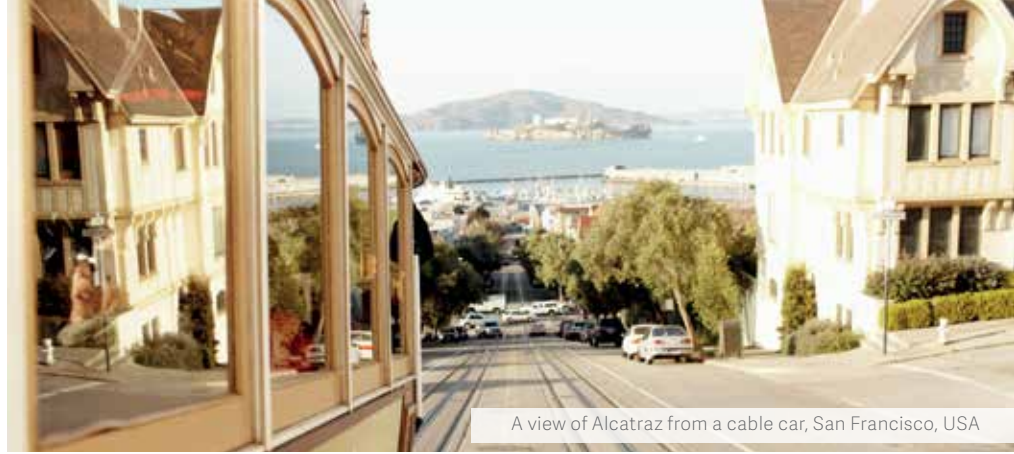
Typical street scene, Cambridge, UK



Clean air, sea and skyscrapers, Vancouver, Canada



Buzzing Times Square, New York, USA



A view of Alcatraz from a cable car, San Francisco, USA



The colourful Bo Kaap area of Cape Town, South Africa

UK

With a colourful melting pot of cultures, lush countryside, towns and cities that pulsate with life, the UK is truly unique. As the birthplace of the English language, it is no wonder the UK is the world's number one English study-abroad destination.

London | Oxford | Cambridge | Brighton | Bristol | Manchester

Malta

Malta is an English-speaking island in the heart of the Mediterranean. Surrounded by beautiful blue sea, with flawless weather, stunning scenery and a relaxed way of life, Malta is one of Europe's favourite English language learning destinations.

St Julian's

South Africa

Exotic wildlife and incredible natural scenery make South Africa the ideal destination for the adventurous. Add its colourful, diverse culture and fascinating history, and South Africa makes a thrilling backdrop for language learning.

Cape Town



Mediterranean paradise, Ghajn Tuffieha, Malta



British icon Big Ben, London, UK



Beautiful Schools

We carefully design all of our spaces for effective learning in comfort and style.

Modern classrooms

Student-centred, airy and filled with natural light, our classrooms are modern, stylish spaces, designed with learning in mind.

State-of-the-art technology

We invest in keeping our schools fully up-to-date with the latest learning technology, including interactive whiteboards.

Library facilities

Take advantage of our extra study resources and spend time browsing our well-stocked libraries after class.

Student lounges

Sit back, relax and practise your speaking skills with friends in our comfortable and buzzy student lounge areas.

Self-study areas

These special quiet areas are places where you can retreat and concentrate to really enhance your classroom learning.

Stay connected

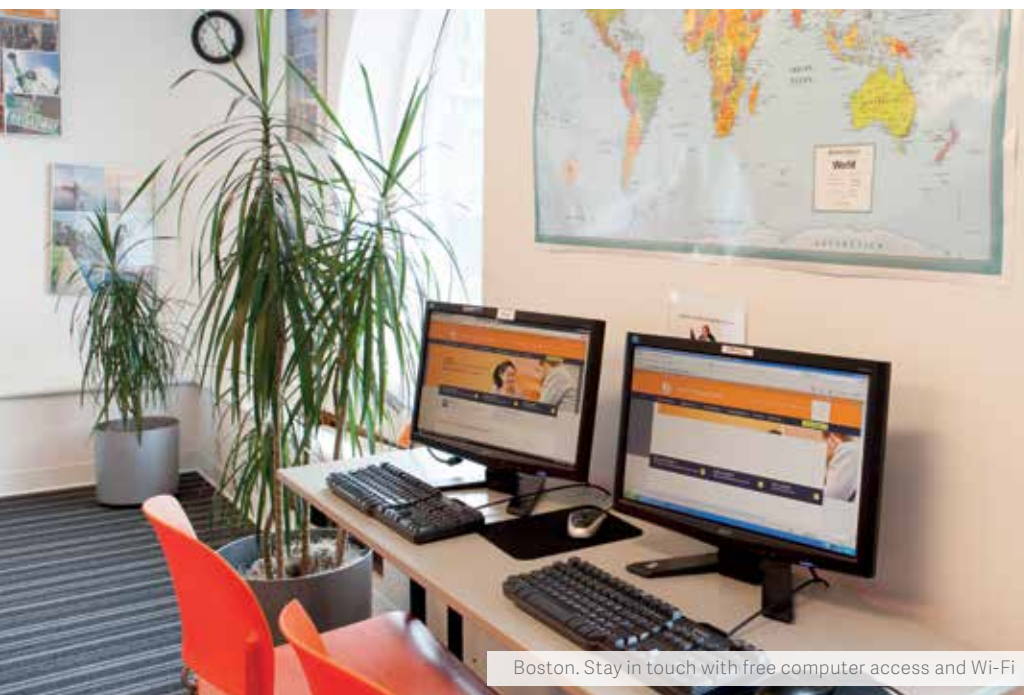
Keep in touch with home, study online or browse the internet with free use of numerous internet-connected computers and Wi-Fi.

Welcoming reception

Warm and friendly staff are waiting to welcome you. Our professional team will always go the extra mile to offer their help and support.

Step outside

Take a step outside any EC school and find yourself in the heart of an exciting, vibrant city, with sights and attractions all around you.



Boston. Stay in touch with free computer access and Wi-Fi



Boston. Library facilities are available for extra study



San Francisco



Cambridge. Our bright and spacious schools create a relaxed environment

"I think that the most important thing is being very comfortable at school. EC has a great location, in a huge modern building."



The school is new, so rooms are very clean and well equipped. I can recommend EC to everyone."

Chloe from France studied in Los Angeles



Los Angeles, Santa Monica. Learn English in the best locations



Reach your Goals

Our mission at EC is 'Helping students succeed in a global community'. Your studies with us will take you not only to fluency, but into a world of increased opportunities and broader horizons.

We know our students have many reasons and motivations to learn English, but connecting all of these is a desire to expand opportunities, open doors and participate in a globalised 21st-century world. Whatever you want to achieve, we will help you get there.

English for Experience & Life

Learning a language while immersing yourself in a new culture is an amazing experience. Choose one of our General English courses to explore an incredible destination, and make international friends and memories to last a lifetime.

Enjoy movies and pop music in English, access the majority of the Internet, travel the world with ease: English is a tool that will improve your life in countless areas.

English for Education & Exams

Some of the world's best educational institutions operate in English. With our Academic courses, on-campus schools and university admissions specialists, you can access the education of your dreams.

Many academic and professional institutions around the world require your English level to be certified with a recognised qualification. We can give you the skills and confidence to excel with our Exam Preparation courses.

English for Career Success

English is the primary language of international business, the Internet, science, technology, diplomacy, sport, and advertising. It is a powerful addition to your CV, no matter what career you choose to pursue.

Choose from our range of Business English courses and gain the communication tools you need to realise your potential and shine in an international arena.

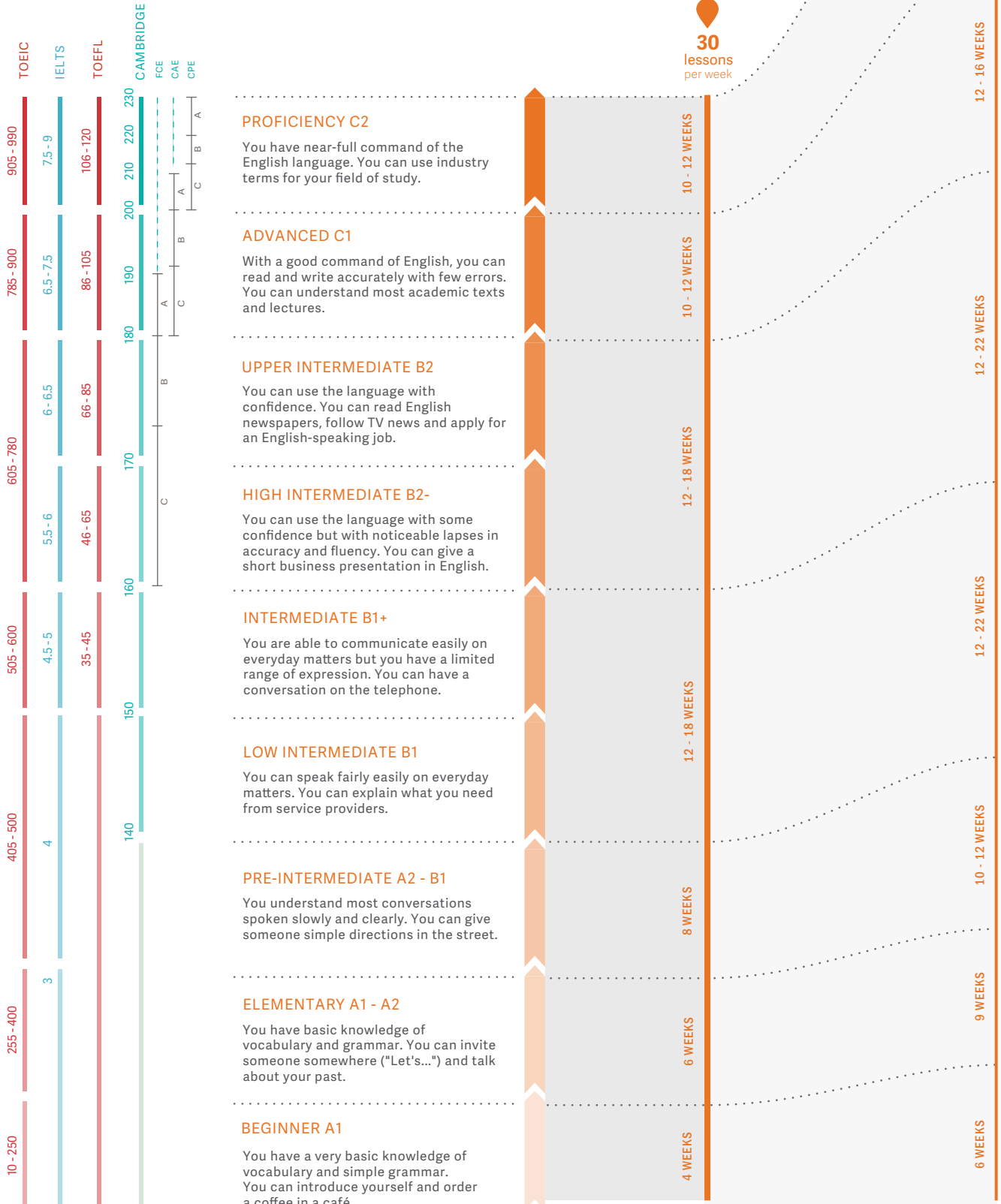
THE EC GUARANTEE

Our guarantee to you is very simple.

We promise you will progress at the rate shown on the progress chart below. If you do not progress as expected, we will provide you with all the additional lessons, help and support you need to reach your target level at no extra cost.

All you have to do is:

- be committed to learning
- attend all your lessons
- complete all of your homework, tests and assignments



The EC Approach

No matter where you start from, we will give you a deeper and more sophisticated command of English. This is how we do it.



"I love my job at EC. The atmosphere is happy and supportive, and I have access to fantastic resources. I really enjoy integrating technology into my teaching and seeing the benefits it brings to the learning experience.

Perhaps my favourite part of this job is meeting and helping people from so many different countries, and learning more about the world from their perspectives."

Giuliana teaches at EC in Malta



Our teachers

At the heart of everything we do is our professional academic team, who are fully qualified and passionate about what they do. Their goal is to help you realise your potential and get the very most out of your experience.

Our method

We believe language is learned best when communicating real meaning. Our approach is called the Communicative Method, which develops all four language skills - reading, writing, speaking and listening. Communication is both the goal and the means of learning.

Lessons that work

Each lesson focuses on a specific topic, chosen to create interest, discussion and debate in the class. Integrated into this, we also teach correct pronunciation, increase vocabulary and develop grammar, all the way to fluency.

The best environment

Science tells us you learn more when you are comfortable and happy, so we put every emphasis on making that happen. Our classrooms are carefully designed and filled with natural light. Classes are relaxed and informal. This nurturing and secure environment will help to build your confidence.

Continual progress

We assess you regularly to identify your strengths and weaknesses, and ensure you progress at the correct rate. Homework is based around classroom learning and designed to activate your newly acquired language.

Feedback and empowerment

An important part of your academic journey will be independent learning, achieved through homework assignments, set and monitored by your teacher. You will receive constructive feedback on your homework, which will help and guide you towards fluency.

A holistic experience

Our commitment to you extends way beyond the classroom. Your learning will be supplemented with free academic workshops to target your weaker areas. You will also enjoy a full programme of leisure activities to help you activate your English in fun and authentic ways.

Result

With the skills you have gained, and the confidence to communicate in English in many different contexts, new opportunities will have opened for you worldwide, in your work, your studies and your life.

Free Language Workshops

Boost your course with additional teacher-led sessions, which are open to everybody and free of charge. A number of sessions take place every week outside of classroom hours.

Workshops Available at All Schools

All year round at every school, we guarantee the programme will include the following sessions:

Conversation sessions *(at least once per week)*

Grab a cup of coffee and enjoy practising your conversation skills with students from different classes, levels and nationalities. In these relaxed and sociable sessions, topics could be about anything, from culture to global events.

Skills clinics *(at least once per week)*

Learn tips, pointers and secrets to master different language skills. We offer clinics in grammar, pronunciation, writing and reading - check your activity calendar at school to see what's on!

Lectures *(at least once per month)*

Delivered by special guest speakers and our own teachers, lectures could be about any topic at all. You will learn interesting facts and gain listening practice while developing note-taking and summary-writing skills.

Movie/Film Series *(at least once per month)*

Enjoy watching movies in English with the added benefit of discussion sessions and comprehension activities with an EC teacher.



Additional Workshops

Each school's programme adapts to the needs of our students at any given time. You may find:

Work Clinic

CV and interview clinics will help you develop the skills you need to apply and interview for jobs in English.

Homework Club

An organised get together with other students, where you can help each other with homework and practise your English in a group setting.

Exam Skills

Master the skills that will help you excel in your language exams.

Local Conversation Partners

We match our long-term students with a native speaker in the local area, to meet and chat on a regular basis.

Improvisation Hour

Improve your speaking skills, gain confidence and have fun through improvisation.

Breaking News

Get together with your fellow students to discuss and debate the local and international issues of the day.

Writing Clinic

Practise your written English skills and develop a practical understanding of both formal and informal writing styles.

The Hood

Learn about how literature, history, immigration, and economic and political movements have shaped the city in which you are studying.

English 24/7

Every day your lessons provide you with focused study, and outside of class your time is filled with opportunities for additional learning, fun and relaxation. This allows you to rapidly develop your language skills, while having the time of your life!



Your schedule

Lesson times and activities vary slightly between EC schools, and your personal timetable will be sent to you upon booking. Whichever school you choose, we structure your schedule to ensure you remain engaged and energised throughout the day, with plenty of time to tailor your own experience.

See below for an example of what your first week might look like at EC Los Angeles

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Weekend
09:00 – 10:30	Arrival, check in and placement test	Lessons	Morning with friends celebrity spotting in Beverly Hills, followed by lunch at 3rd Street Promenade next to the school	Lessons	Morning on Santa Monica beach, relaxing with classmates	Self-study time and many activities to choose from: city tour, Disneyland, Universal Studios, Sea World, Griffith Observatory and Hollywood Walk of Fame, picnics, sports events and more
10:30 – 10:45	Meet classmates for the first time	Breaktime		Breaktime		
10:45 – 12:15	Orientation with EC staff members	Lessons		Lessons		
12:15 – 13:00	Lunch	Lunch		Lunch		
13:00 – 14:30	Welcome tour of the neighbourhood	Elective Session	Elective Session	Elective Session	Elective Session	
14:30 – 14:45	Breaktime	Pronunciation Clinic	Breaktime	Conversation Club	Breaktime	
14:45 – 16:15	Lessons	Join EC Football team and play first match	Lessons	Homework and self-study in the library	Lessons	
16:15 – 16:30	Breaktime		Breaktime		Breaktime	
16:30 – 18:00	Lessons		Lessons		Lessons	
After school	Welcome event	Evening in with host family	LA Dodgers baseball game	Movie Night	International party	



Surfing in San Diego

Experience More

Make friends and enjoy your spare time from day one. Whether you enjoy sightseeing, sports, the arts, shopping or you just want to relax, our varied activity programmes ensure you have fun and get the best from your destination.



Exploring Stanley Park, Vancouver



Lunch in the sun in Los Angeles

"The welcome dinner is awesome because we have the opportunity to discover what is coming in the Malta adventure. Enjoy, it is the biggest recommendation for future EC students. Thank you so much EC!"

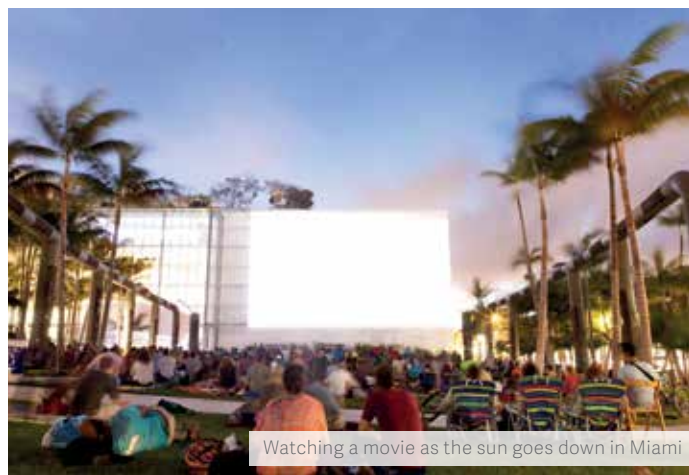
Raquel from Colombia
studied in Malta



Sailing in Cape Town



Sightseeing in Cambridge



Watching a movie as the sun goes down in Miami

"My favourite activity was the trip to New York, but I also liked the trip to Niagara Falls, bowling, pub activities and the many other events planned by the school."

I had so many wonderful opportunities to practice my English skills and to make friends with people from all over the world!"

Hadrien from France
studied in Montreal

On your first day you will be invited to a welcome event, where you can relax, get to know your fellow students and staff, and be introduced the exciting experience that lies ahead!

Throughout your stay, you will be offered a wide variety of activities to choose from. Every EC activity programme helps you to explore your destination, practise your language skills and enjoy time with your new international friends.

Fill your free time with activities such as:

- City walking tour
- Visits to museums and galleries
- Group dinners and pub nights
- Sports such as football and volleyball
- Art and music classes
- Games nights
- Tai chi and yoga
- Movie nights
- Excursions outside of the city
- Karaoke and open mic nights
- College and university visits

Connect with us and see the EC Experience for yourself!





Homestay. Stay with locals for a more cultural experience

Home Life

Whether you would like to live with other students in a residence, or experience local daily life with a homestay, we ensure the perfect home away from home.

Homestay

Gain a unique cultural experience in your chosen destination and use your English in a natural environment outside of the classroom. You will enjoy all the pleasures of home with your host family: a welcoming environment, comfort and home-cooked food.

Residence

The ultimate student experience! Live independently in dedicated student accommodation, while enjoying and exploring your chosen destination with like-minded people from all over the world.

Student House or Shared Apartment

Enjoy the independence of a residence on a smaller scale. Sharing a house or apartment with other international students will give you

lots of opportunities to practise your English language skills and make lasting friendships with your new housemates.

Studio or One Bedroom Apartment

Choose this option for the most independent lifestyle. Suitable for a single person or two people booking together, these self-contained apartments offer privacy and comfort in the heart of your chosen destination.

University Residence

Our on-campus schools in the USA offer the chance to live in an official university residence, alongside American and international students. With this authentic campus experience, you will have access to excellent university facilities and be truly immersed in student life.

"If you stay in a residence, you will have fun and meet lots of people from different countries and cultures. You can speak with your housemates, you can cook together and hang out in your free time. If you are an independent person who wants to learn and have fun, this type of accommodation is exactly for you!"

Ali from Russia
studied in San Diego



Studio Apartments, Miami



Homestay, Malta



Residence, Bristol



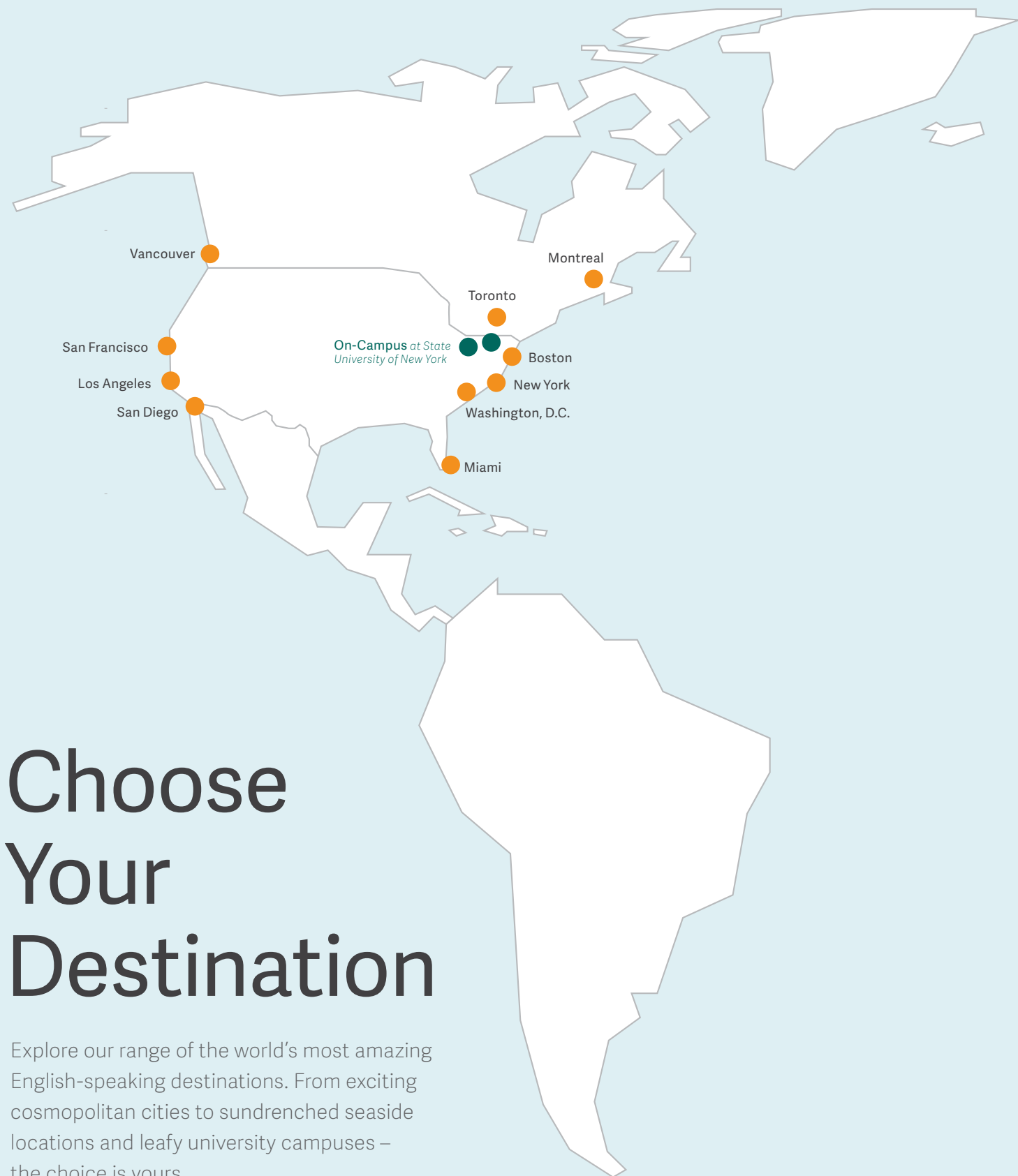
Residence, San Francisco

"I am living just a couple of minutes away from EC school. My host mum is a really lovely woman. She cooks absolutely awesome food and she can't do enough for me. All in all I feel at home at Salama's place. I recommend living with a host family."

Nicolas from Switzerland
studied in Cape Town

"What I liked the most about my accommodation was that it was so close to the beach and school and Lincoln Road. I was also happy that there was a kitchen in my apartment that I used to cook. EC was amazing. I will remember the wonderful time I had with the teachers and my friends."

Katerina from Czech Republic
studied in Miami



Choose Your Destination

Explore our range of the world's most amazing English-speaking destinations. From exciting cosmopolitan cities to sundrenched seaside locations and leafy university campuses – the choice is yours.

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City centre locations

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Schools on campus

5

Countries

3

Continents



140

Student nationalities

45,000

Students worldwide

The Multi-Destination Experience

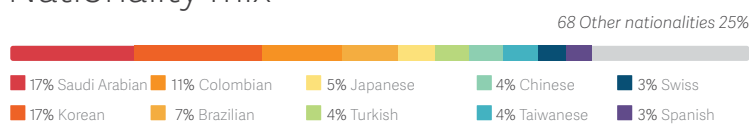
Study at multiple EC schools. We will pass your records between our Academic teams to ensure a smooth transition. You may also benefit from preferential rates as cost is calculated on the total duration of your course.



Boston

Faneuil Hall is one of the most important sites in US history, and today the most vibrant area in America's academic heartland. This ultra-modern school is just minutes from the waterfront, amongst shops, restaurants and attractions.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



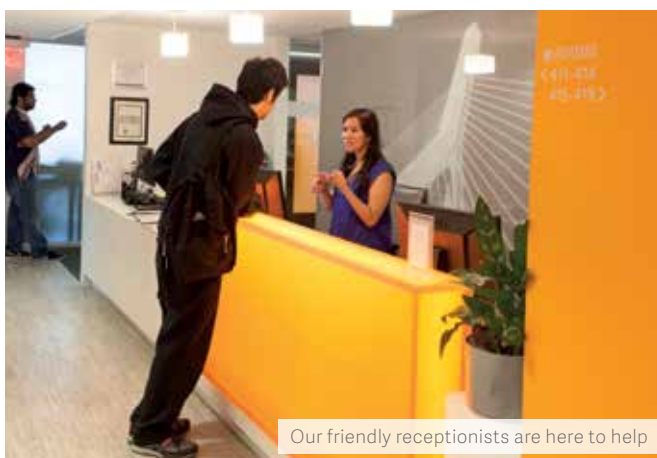
Student lounge



Kitchen area



TOEFL Test Centre



300
Capacity

21
Classrooms

35
Student computers

12
Average class size (max 15)

16
Minimum age



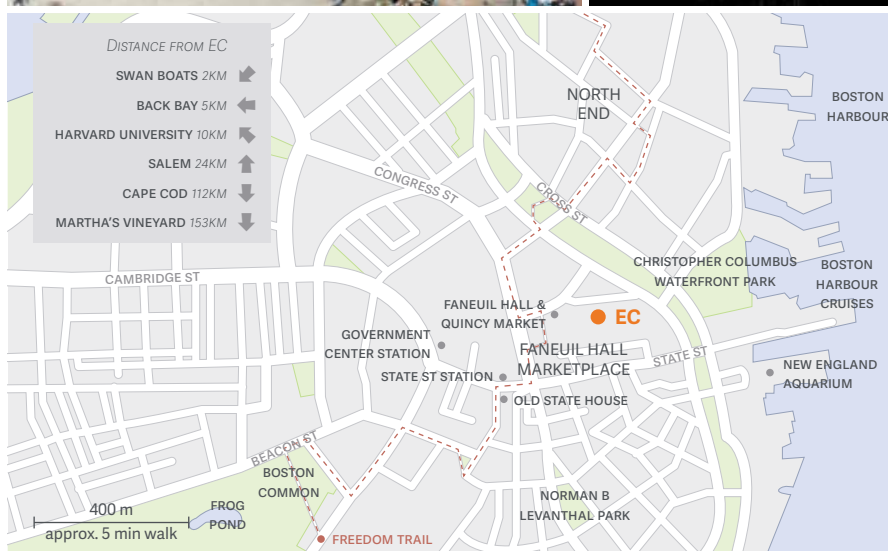
Student lounge



Quincy Market



Hanging out at Boston Waterfront



Don't Miss

Faneuil Hall Marketplace, the city's centre of food and shopping, right outside the door of the school

Cape Cod's 40 miles of untouched sandy beaches

Walking through Harvard campus, the oldest and most prestigious university in the USA

The ferry to Martha's Vineyard, a sunny island with plenty of beaches and home to The Flying Horses, America's oldest carousel

The haunting past of Salem with a walking tour devoted to the 1692 Witch Trials

Courses (lessons per week)

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (30)
- Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
- Business Semester/Year (30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
- IELTS/TOEFL Exam Preparation (24/30)
- One-to-One
- University Admissions Service
- Volunteer Programme

Courses include

- Course book
- English language activities & workshops
- Welcome activity
- Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

- Homestay
- Apartment and Shared Apartment
- Summer Residence



Doing homework in the student library

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TOEFL IBT CENTER

ENGLISH
US

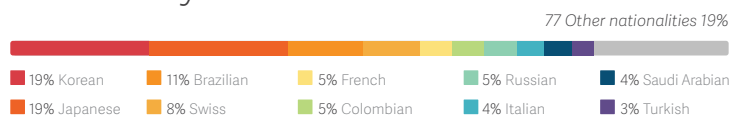
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New York

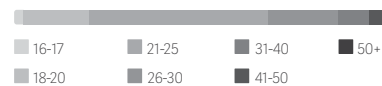
EC in New York is a contemporary space and, in the heart of Times Square, possibly the most centrally located school in 'The Big Apple'. With fantastic city views, EC is minutes away from 5th Avenue, Broadway, the Empire State Building and so much more.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Deli in building



Student lounge



Reception area

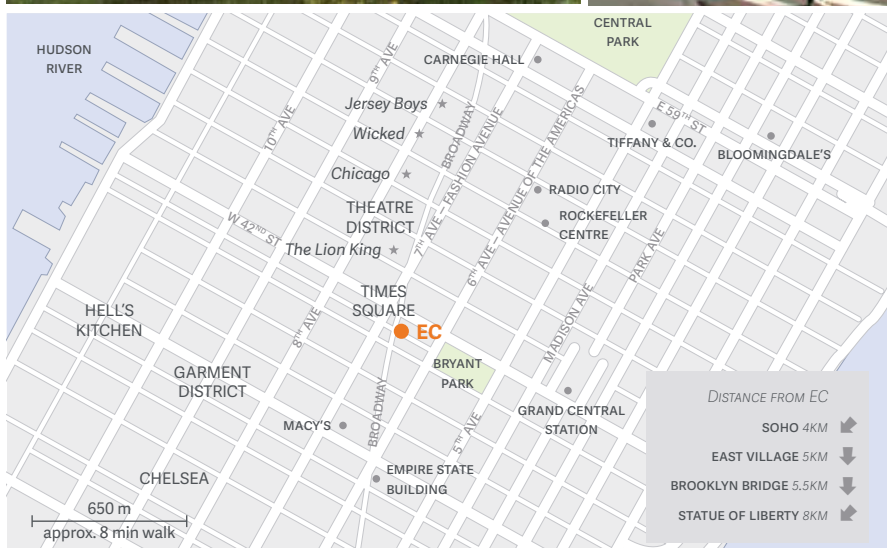
228
Capacity

16
Classrooms

23
Student
computers

12
Average class
size (max 15)

16
Minimum age



Don't Miss

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/24/30)
English for Work (30)
Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
Business Semester/Year (30)
Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
TOEFL Exam Preparation (30)
One-to-One
University Admissions Service

Courses include

- Course book
- English language activities & workshops
- Welcome activity
- Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
Manhattan Homestay
Residence and Summer Residence



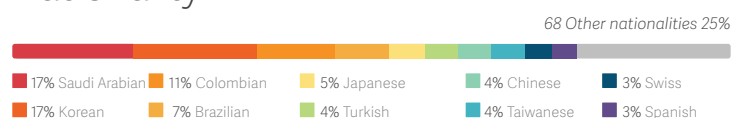


The Capitol – one of the most iconic buildings in the world

Washington, D.C.

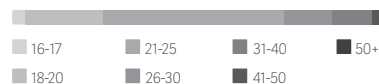
The epicentre of US politics, and full of famous monuments, memorials and museums, Washington provides an awe-inspiring environment for study. EC is a sleek, modern space in the heart of this cosmopolitan city, just 10 minutes' walk from the White House.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on projected student weeks for 2015.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Student lounge



Business lounge



Our impressive school building



Students in class

165

Capacity

11

Classrooms

25

Student computers

12

Average class size (max 15)

18

Minimum age



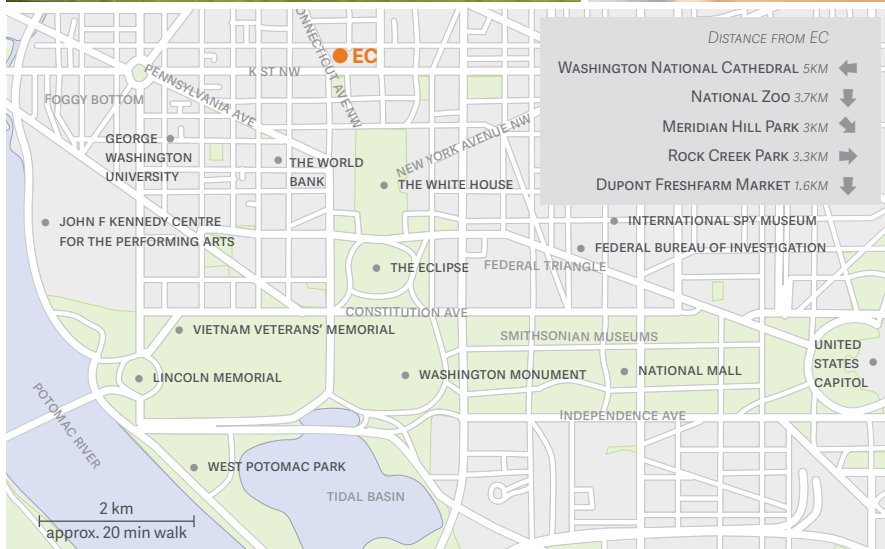
The latest learning technology



The White House



Students in class



Don't Miss

The Capitol, seat of the United States Congress and one of the world's most iconic landmarks

A tour of the White House, the official residence and workplace of the President of the United States

The Mall – two miles of beautiful parkland holding many of the city's monuments and museums

A visit to the Washington DC Newseum, for a uniquely historical experience

The 18.5-mile-long Mount Vernon trail along the Potomac River, a favourite with local cyclists

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/24/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
 TOEFL Exam Preparation (24/30)
 One-to-One
 University Admissions Service
 Volunteer Programme

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome activity
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Residence



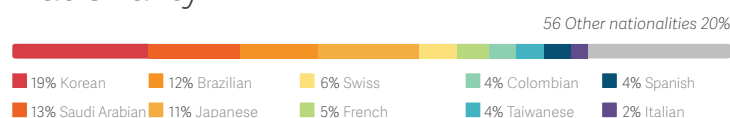
Leafy Washington neighbourhood



San Francisco

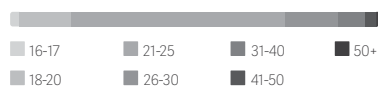
A contemporary space in the heart of Downtown, EC is just off Market Street and a short walk to Union Square. Bright, modern classrooms surround a large sun-filled lounge, and just outside is a wide variety of shops, restaurants and cafés.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Deli



Centre Director Cindy and her staff help students at reception



Computers in the student lounge

219
Capacity

15
Classrooms

23
Student
computers

12
Average class
size (max 15)

16
Minimum age



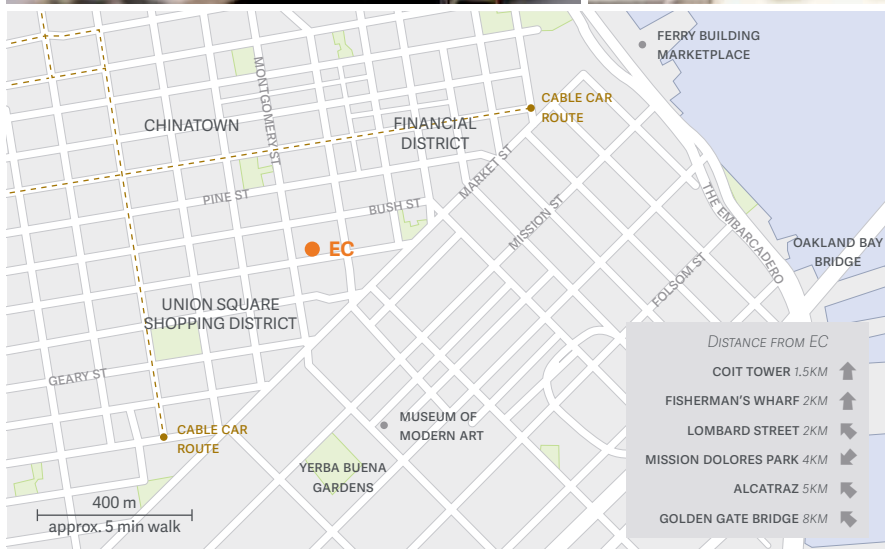
Beautiful San Francisco city



An activity in class



Student lounge



Don't Miss

Taking a ride on the world's last manually-operated cable car system

The former Alcatraz prison that once housed notorious criminals such as Al Capone

The stories of danger and challenges with a tour of the Golden Gate Bridge

Tasting delicious fresh seafood like Dungeness crab and cioppino at the Fisherman's Wharf

Union Square, a large collection of department stores, upscale boutiques and tourist shops

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/24/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
 One-to-One
 University Admissions Service
 Volunteer Programme

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome activity
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Residence



Overlooking the 'Painted Ladies'

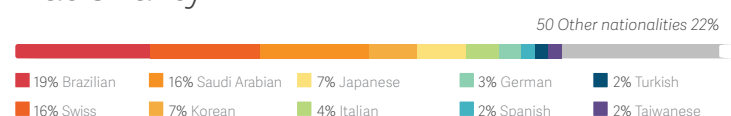


The stunning La Jolla Cove

San Diego

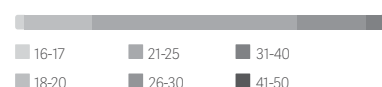
EC is located in picturesque La Jolla, known for its shopping and spectacular coastline, where seals can be spotted next to surfers and sunbathers. The school boasts beautiful ocean views, an outdoor terrace and a relaxed Californian atmosphere.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Outdoor terrace



Bright student lounge opens onto the terrace



Reception area

227
Capacity

20
Classrooms

22
Student
computers

12
Average class
size (max 15)

16
Minimum age



Doing homework in the student lounge



San Diego surfing



Relaxing in Scripps Park



Don't Miss

Swimming, scuba diving, snorkelling and lying on the sandy beach at La Jolla Cove

English plus Surfing, exclusive to EC in San Diego

Visiting Balboa Park's many museums and gardens

A trip across the bridge to Coronado Island boasting one of America's best beaches

Attending an annual festival or enjoying the nightlife in the historic Gaslamp Quarter

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/24/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
 TOEFL Exam Preparation (30)
 One-to-One
 University Admissions Service
 Volunteer Programme
 English Plus: Surfing

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome event
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Shared Apartment



Our beautiful, sunny classrooms

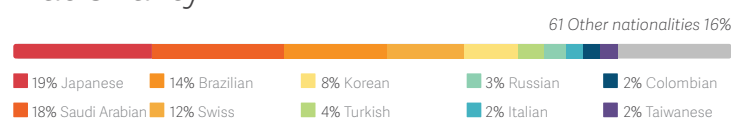


Santa Monica Beach at sunset

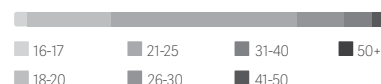
Los Angeles *Santa Monica*

Our school in Los Angeles is just a five-minute walk from sun-drenched Santa Monica Beach – the ultimate stretch of golden South Californian coastline – and just two minutes from the dining, shopping and nightlife of 3rd Street Promenade.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Our spacious student lounge



EC in Los Angeles

330
Capacity

22
Classrooms

30
Student
computers

12
Average class
size (max 15)

16
Minimum age



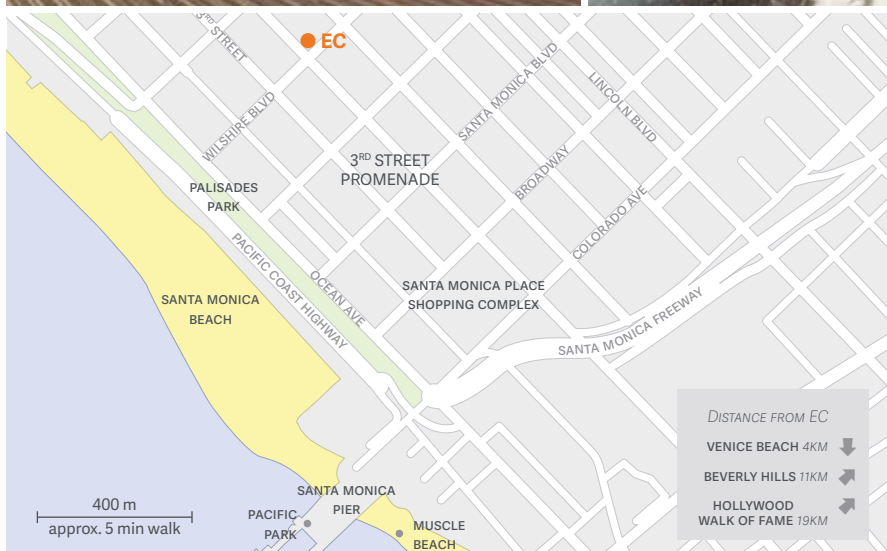
The iconic sign!



Reception area



The Hollywood 'Walk of Fame'



Don't Miss

English plus Acting, exclusive to EC in Los Angeles

3rd Street Promenade, an impressive array of national stores and boutiques

The amusement park, aquarium, shops and bars on Santa Monica Pier

Watching many street performers, artists and skateboarders on Venice Beach

Disneyland, Universal Studios and celebrity spotting in Beverly Hills

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/24/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
 TOEFL Exam Preparation (30)
 One-to-One
 University Admissions Service
 Volunteer Programme
 English Plus: Acting

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome activity
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Shared Apartment



Teacher Ryan leading an activity

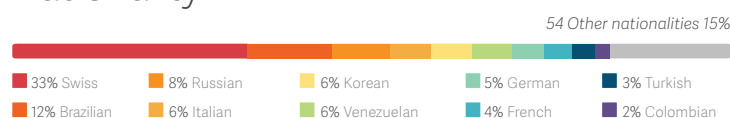


Colourful South Beach, Miami

Miami

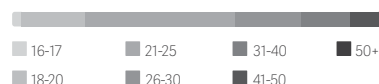
In a spectacular landmark building in the heart of South Beach, EC is just a short walk from one of the most iconic beaches in the US and is surrounded by the endless cafés, bars, shops and restaurants of world-famous Lincoln Road.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



You can always ask for help at reception



In class

207
Capacity

14
Classrooms

13
Student computers

12
Average class size (max 15)

16
Minimum age



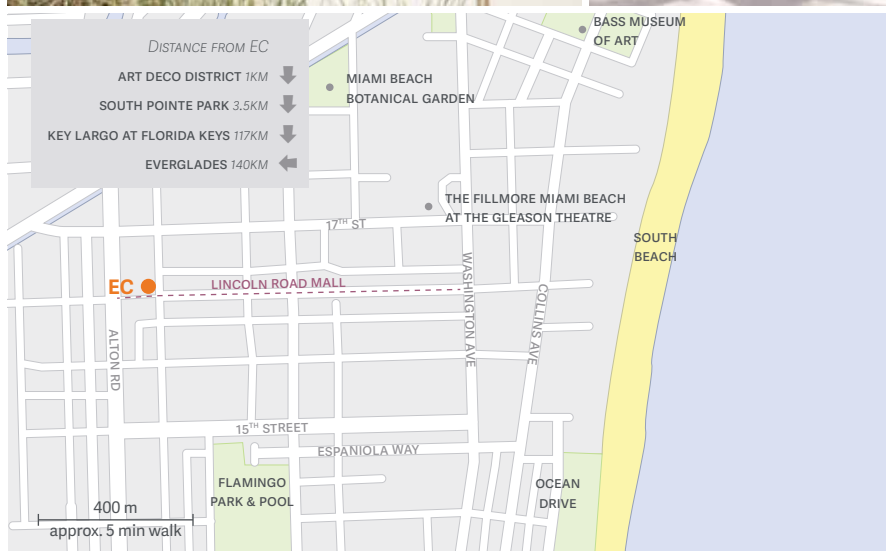
Our bright and spacious school



Sand and sea at South Beach



Strolling down Lincoln Road



Don't Miss

Lying in the flawless white sand of sunny South Beach

Lincoln Road Mall, a pedestrian-only promenade with bars, shops and galleries

The beautiful Art Deco architecture and incredible restaurants along Ocean Drive

Fishing, snorkelling, scuba diving or just relaxing in a hammock in the Florida Keys

A ride on an air-boat to view the unique scenery and wildlife of the Everglades

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/24/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Academic Semester/Year (24/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
 One-to-One
 University Admissions Service
 Volunteer Programme

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome activity
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Studio Apartment
 Shared Apartment



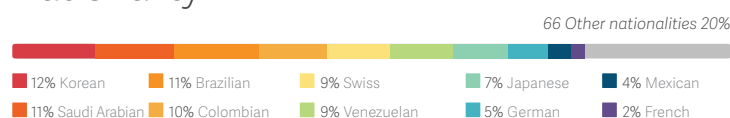
Student lounge at break time



Montreal

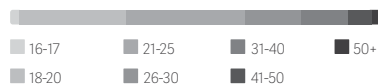
The world's largest bilingual city, Montreal is rich in European charm with a unique English and French cultural mix. EC is an airy, modern school located in the heart of the city, where students can choose to study English, French, or both.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Self-study room



Student lounge



Food court in building



Kitchen area



Reception area



Our big, bright student lounge

290
Capacity

23
Classrooms

10
Student computers

13
Average class size (max 15)

16
Higher Score average class size (max 18)

16
Minimum age



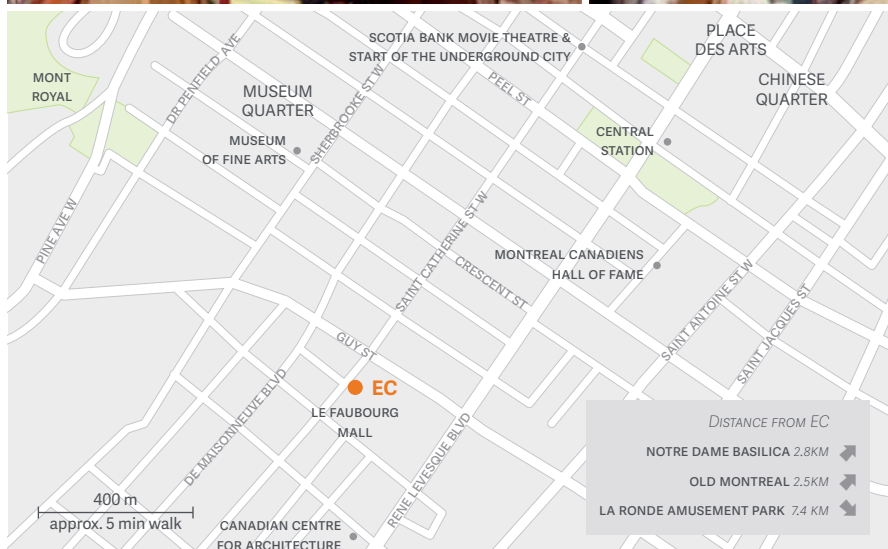
Interactive whiteboards



Colourful markets



Taking in the Montreal skyline



Don't Miss

Combining your studies with a Gastronomy course

The historic architecture, art galleries and museums of Old Montreal

The Notre Dame Basilica, famous for its impressive architecture and artwork

Renting Bixi-bikes and exploring Montreal from its numerous bike paths

Eating a poutine at La Banquise or a smoked meat sandwich at Schwartz

Courses (lessons per week)

General English/French (20/24/30)

Bilingual (24/30)

English/French for Work (30)

English/French Academic Semester/Year (20/24/30)

Higher Score® IELTS (20)

DELTA/DALF Exam Preparation (30)

One-to-One

University Admissions Service

English Plus:

Gastronomy/Farmstay/Charitable Volunteer Programme

Courses include

English/French language activities & workshops

Welcome activity

Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay

Shared Apartment or Studio Apartment

Residence



formerly
known as
LSC



An engaging class at EC in Montreal

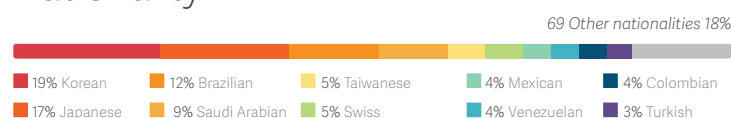


Toronto's striking skyline

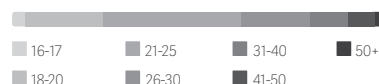
Toronto

Spacious, modern and welcoming, our school in Toronto is located in Canada's largest city and financial capital. This multicultural destination is formed of unique neighbourhoods and has everything to offer: arts, music, sports, museums and more.

Nationality mix



Age mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.



Big classrooms with lots of natural light



Spacious common areas



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



Café in building

435

Capacity

30

Classrooms

45

Student computers

13

Average class size (max 15)

16

Higher Score average class size (max 18)

16

Minimum age



Cambridge, IELTS, TOEFL & TOEIC test centre



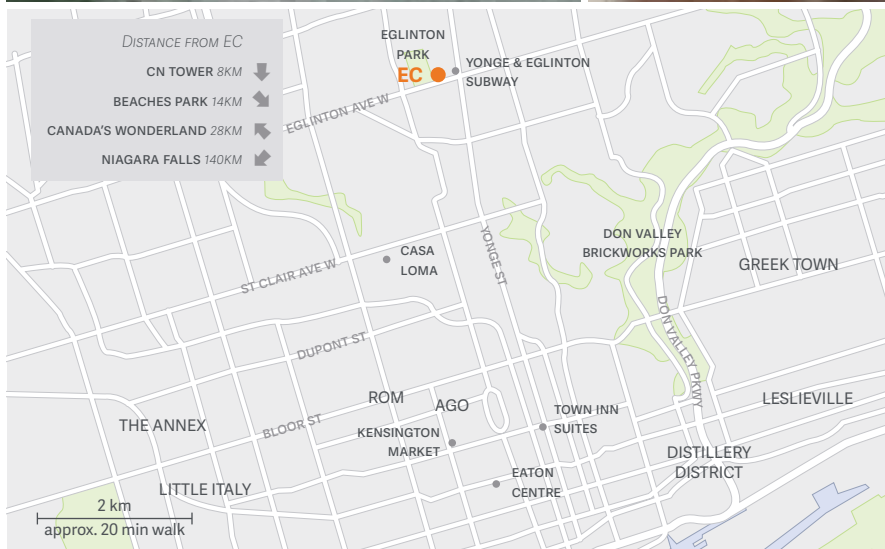
Reception area



Niagara Falls



Students relaxing between classes



Don't Miss

Natural history and world cultures at the spectacular Royal Ontario Museum

The CN Tower's EdgeWalk, the world's highest full-circle hands-free walk 356m above ground

A boat ride on the Maid of the Mist to get close to the Niagara Falls

The 200 thrilling roller-coasters and attractions at Canada's Wonderland

Kensington Market, selling original jewellery, vintage clothing and speciality foods

Courses (lessons per week)

- General English (20/24/30)
- English for Work (30)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/24/30)
- Business Semester/Year (30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
- Higher Score® IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC (20/24/30)
- One-to-One
- University Admissions Service
- English Plus:
 - Farmstay/Charitable Volunteer Programme

Courses include

- English language activities & workshops
- Welcome event
- Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

- Homestay
- Apartment and Shared/Studio Apartment
- Summer Residence



The bustling streets of Downtown Toronto

30+

CLUB 30+: General, Semi-Intensive, Intensive and English for Work students aged 30 years+ (Pre-Intermediate to High Intermediate level) will be placed in exclusive classes at no extra cost.



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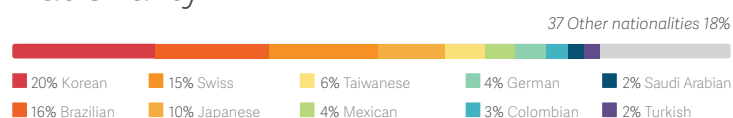




Vancouver

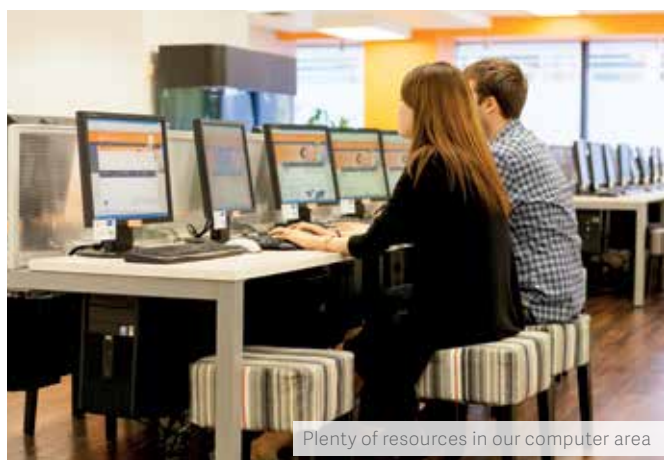
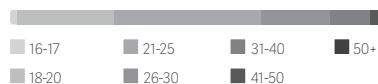
Consistently rated one of the top places in the world to live, Vancouver is surrounded by ocean and mountains. Our school in Vancouver is located in a landmark building in the centre of this picturesque city, with large classrooms filled with natural light.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Plenty of resources in our computer area



Student lounge



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



Cambridge test centre

495
Capacity

33
Classrooms

31
Student computers

13
Average class size (max 15)

16
Higher Score average class size (max 18)

16
Minimum age



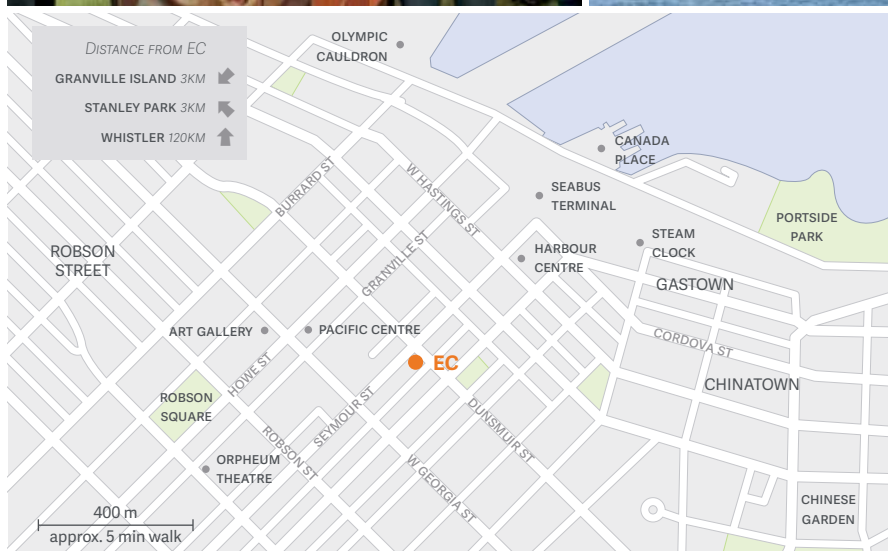
Reception area



Totem poles in Stanley Park



A seaplane taking off



Don't Miss

A whale-watching boat tour to get a close-up of Pacific grey whales, humpbacks and orcas

Renting a bike or rollerblades and riding Stanley Park's 9km seawall path

Skiing, snowboarding, trekking and mountain biking in Whistler

Visiting the trendy shops, bars and restaurants along the historic cobblestoned streets of Gastown

Granville Island's waterfront restaurants, cafés, theatres, galleries, studios and fresh food market

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/24/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Academic Semester/Year (20/24/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
 Higher Score® IELTS/TOEFL/TOEIC (20)
 One-to-One
 University Admissions Service
 English Plus:
 Farmstay/Charitable Volunteer Programme

Courses include

English language activities & workshops
 Welcome activity
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Residence
 Apartment



One of our friendly teachers gives a lesson



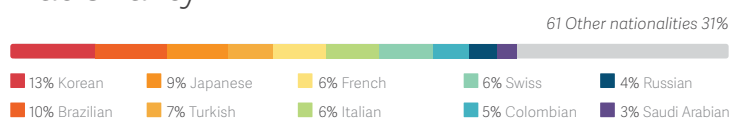


Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament

London

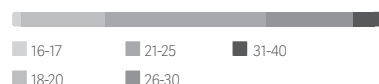
EC is moments away from fashionable King's Cross and has unbeatable access to all areas of this amazing world-class city. Experience state-of-the-art facilities, bright classrooms and a fantastic cafeteria at this beautiful, modern school.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Café in building



TOEIC test centre



Student lounge



Library

301

Capacity

26

Classrooms

24

Student computers

11

Average class size (max 14)

16

Minimum age



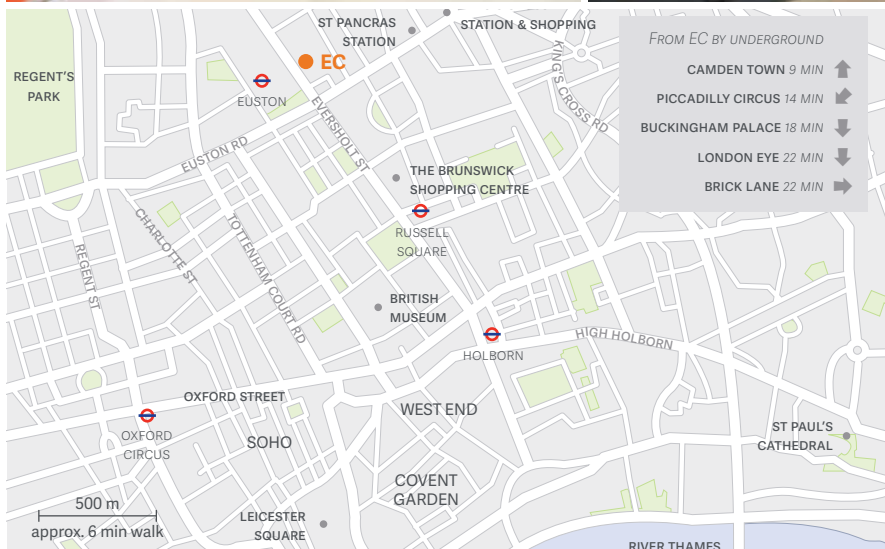
Piccadilly Circus



You can always ask for help at reception



A stroll along the River Thames



FROM EC BY UNDERGROUND

- CAMDEN TOWN 9 MIN ↑
- PICCADILLY CIRCUS 14 MIN ↔
- BUCKINGHAM PALACE 18 MIN ↓
- LONDON EYE 22 MIN ↓
- BRICK LANE 22 MIN →

Don't Miss

Buckingham Palace, the most iconic royal building in the country

Climbing the stairs of St. Paul's Cathedral to see panoramic views across London

Taking a ride on Europe's largest Ferris wheel
The London Eye

Shopping, dining and relaxing in the brand new King's Cross Central

Catching a glimpse of the Crown Jewels at the Tower of London

Courses (lessons per week)

- General English* (20/30)
- English for Work (30)
- Academic Semester/Year* (20/30)
- Business Semester/Year (30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
- IELTS* Exam Preparation (30)
- TOEFL/TOEIC Exam Preparation (10)
- One-to-One
- Internship

*Afternoon only option available for these courses

Courses include

- Course book
- English language activities & workshops
- Welcome activity
- Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

- Homestay
- Student House
- Residence and Summer Residence



Teachers use lots of different teaching methods

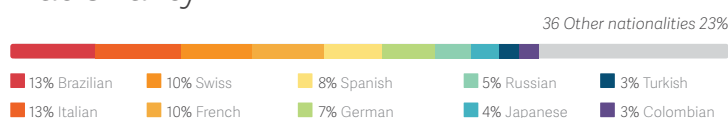


Bustling streets in Covent Garden

Covent Garden 30+

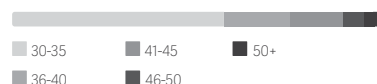
This unique school is exclusively for those aged 30 years and over who want to share their experience with more mature, like-minded students. London's Covent Garden is buzzing and colourful, famous for theatres, street performers, restaurants and nightlife.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Café in building



Receptionist Tina helps a student



Chatting after school outside EC

198

Capacity

11

Classrooms

10

Student computers

11

Average class size (max 14)

30

Minimum age



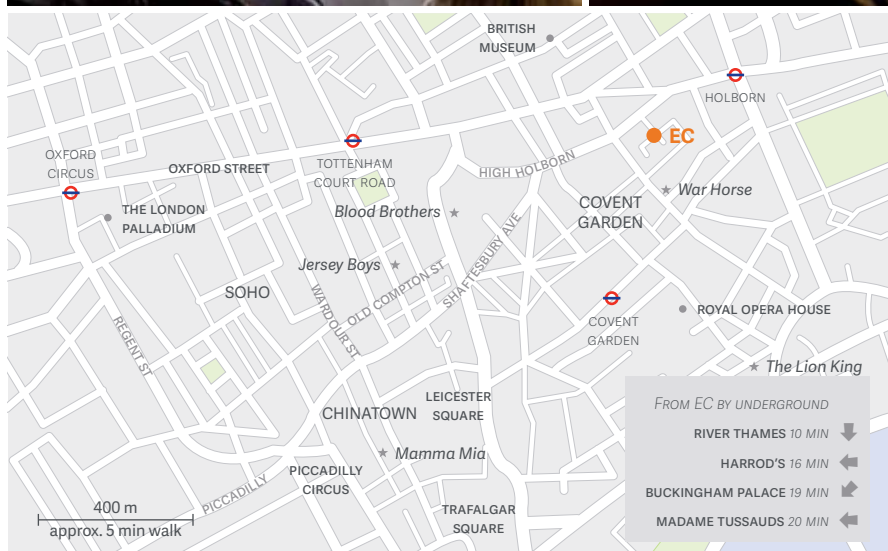
Street performer and audience



A bright learning environment



Students Agnes and Guillaume enjoying an activity in class



Don't Miss

The opera, ballet and other classic performances at the Royal Opera House

Shops and fashionable boutiques on the world-famous Oxford Street

World-renowned musicals and plays in London's famous West End

Free entrance to the capital's many world-class museums and galleries

The trendy bars, chic restaurants and lively nightclubs in Soho

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/30)

English for Work (30)

One-to-One

Courses include

Course book

English language activities & workshops

Welcome activity

Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay

Residence

Studio Apartment



Shopping in Covent Garden Market

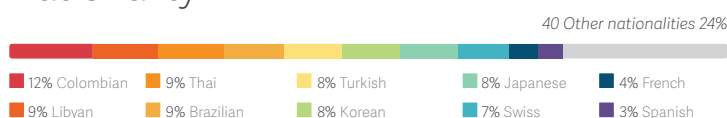


The Radcliffe Camera and All Souls College

Oxford

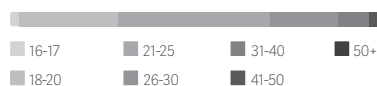
Nestled amongst the magnificent colleges of Oxford University is our welcoming school in the centre of this ancient and enchanting city. Airy, spacious and welcoming, with ultra-modern facilities, EC offers the perfect learning environment.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



A lesson in one of our comfortable classrooms



EC in Oxford

204
Capacity

15
Classrooms

17
Student
computers

12
Average class
size (max 15)

16
Minimum age



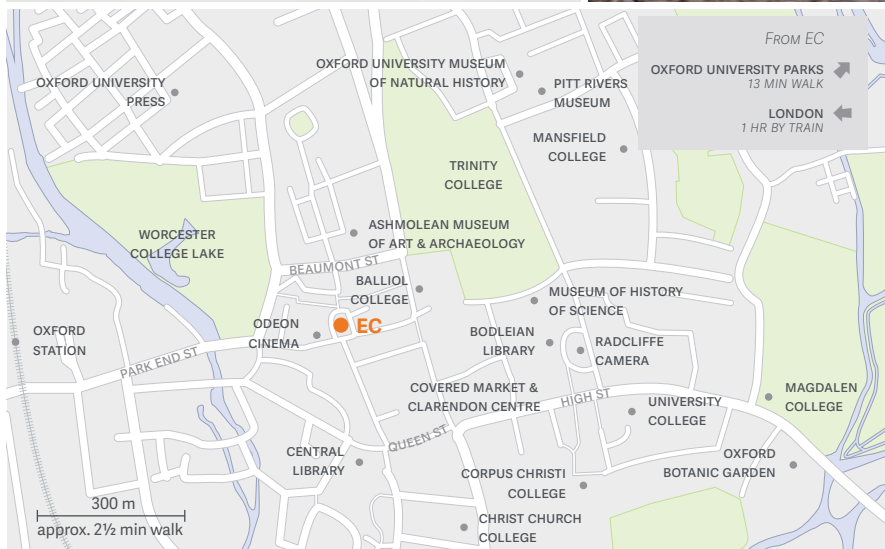
Punting on the river



Our bright reception area



The cobbled streets and colleges of Oxford



Don't Miss

Wandering through the colleges, museums and grounds of Oxford University

The most compact yet diverse collection of plants in the world at the Botanic Gardens

Outstanding international anthropological collections at the Pitt Rivers Museum

Browsing for crafts, clothing and food, under one ancient roof, at the Covered Market

One of the oldest libraries in Europe, Gothic masterpiece the Bodleian Library

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/30)
English for Work (30)
Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
Business Semester/Year (30)
Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
IELTS Exam Preparation (30)
One-to-One
Internship in London

Courses include

Course book
English language activities & workshops
Welcome activity
Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
Student House
Studio
Summer Residence



Students chatting in the colourful student lounge

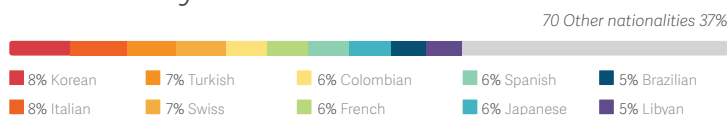


Punts on the peaceful River Cam

Cambridge

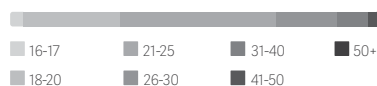
EC is one of the few language schools in the heart of this beautiful and world-class academic city. Spacious, bright and friendly, the school is situated in a very modern building adjacent to one of Cambridge's main shopping areas.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Kitchen area



Bright, with high-tech resources classrooms



Outside the school

203
Capacity

14
Classrooms

20
Student
computers

12
Average class
size (max 14)

16
Minimum age



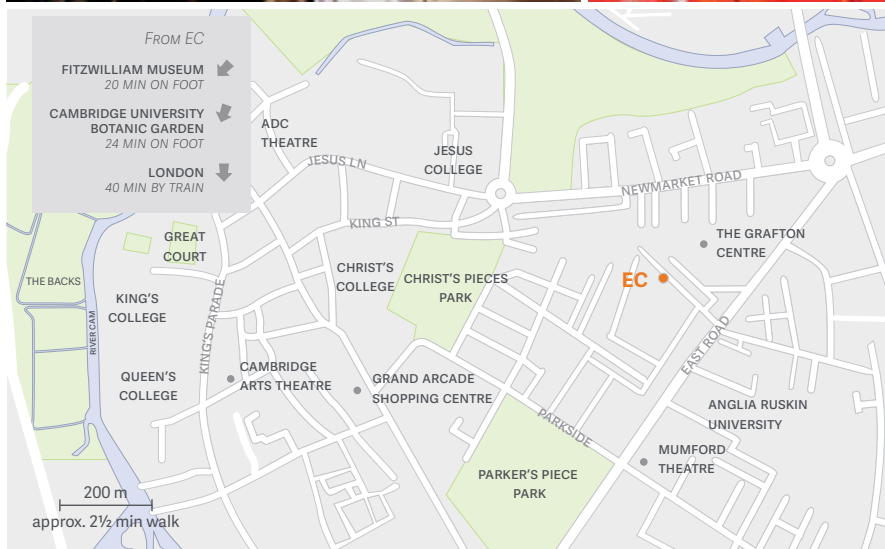
Library



Beautiful stained glass in King's College Chapel



Reception and relaxation area



Don't Miss

Discovering past civilizations through art at the Fitzwilliam Museum

Visiting one of the greatest examples of English architecture at King's College Chapel

Propelling a flat-bottomed boat with a pole as you punt on the River Cam

Watching a play or show by local and international theatre groups at ADC Theatre

The 40-minute train ride to London to visit all its world-famous attractions

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30 lessons)
 IELTS Exam Preparation (30)
 One-to-One
 Internship in London

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome activity
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Student House
 Student Residence
 Summer Residence

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King's College

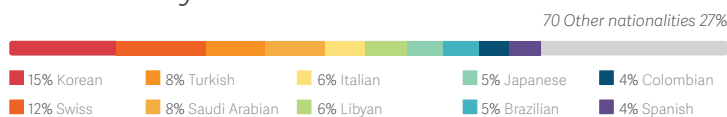


Brighton's lovely pier, moments from the school

Brighton

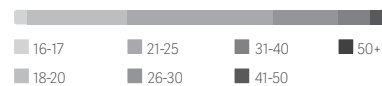
EC is a bright, stylish and modern school, just two minutes away from the iconic Brighton Pier, The Royal Pavilion and The Lanes. Also on the doorstep are all the restaurants, bars and clubs that make this unique city so much fun.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Reception area



Students chatting outside the school

386
Capacity

33
Classrooms

30
Student
computers

11
Average class
size (max 15)

16
Minimum age



Student lounge



Brighton Beach



Shopping for quirky items & antiques in The Lanes



Don't Miss

The shops, restaurants, amusement park and beautiful sea views on Brighton Pier

The maze of twisting alleyways called The Lanes, offering a mix of boutique clothing, jewellery and antique shops

Tea on the Royal Pavilion terrace overlooking the great Regency Garden

150 different species of sea life in over 50 aquariums and pools at the Sea Life Centre

Eating the Great British favourite fish and chips on the beach

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/30)
English for Work (30)
Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
Business Semester/Year (30)
Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
IELTS Exam Preparation (30)
One-to-One
Internship in London

Courses include

Course book
English language activities & workshops
Welcome activity
Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
Residence
Summer Residence
Student House



Classes are engaging and relaxed

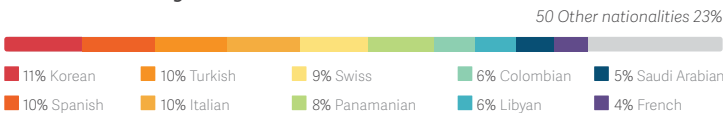


The amazing Clifton Suspension Bridge

Bristol

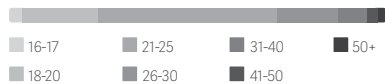
Our school boasts an extremely central location in Queen Square, a green, peaceful area in the centre of this beautiful and unique city. Spread over four floors, the school is modern and spacious with large classrooms and bright, bustling communal areas.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Reception area



In class

272
Capacity

22
Classrooms

21
Student computers

12
Average class size (max 14)

16
Minimum age



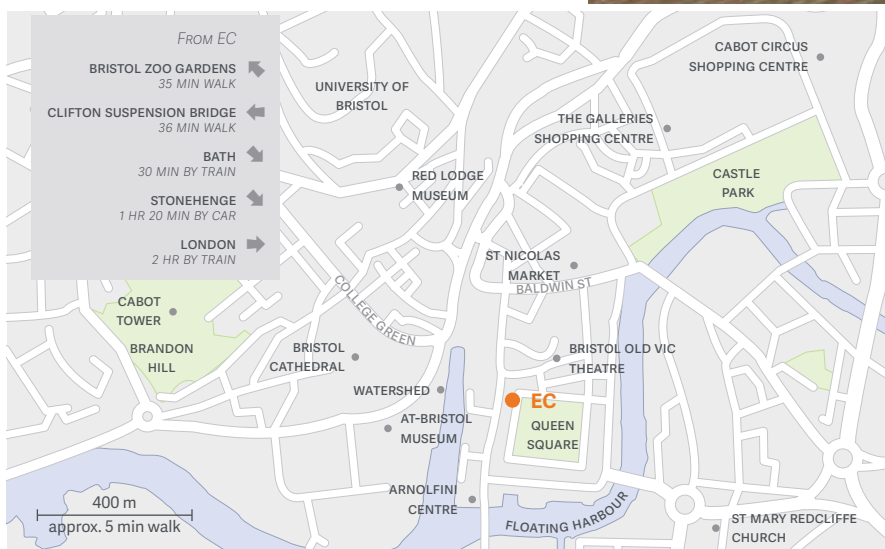
Strolling along the waterfront



Bright classrooms



Student lounge



Don't Miss

Walking across the Clifton Suspension Bridge spanning the scenic Avon Gorge

Searching Banksy's home town for some of his earliest and most famous street art

Celebrating African Caribbean culture with food, song and dance at St. Paul's Carnival

The international cuisine and lively atmosphere of Bristol's Victorian-era St Nicholas Market

Witnessing 150 hot air balloons lift off at the Bristol International Balloon Fiesta

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
 IELTS Exam Preparation (30)
 One-to-One
 Internship in Bristol or London

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities & workshops
 Welcome activity
 Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

Homestay
 Student House
 Studio Apartment
 'Twodio' Apartment

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Cabot Tower, overlooking Bristol

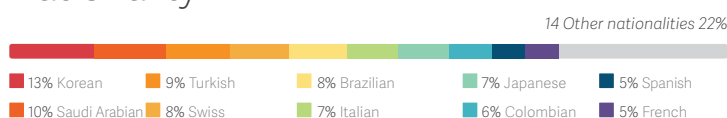


Relaxing in the sun in Piccadilly Gardens

Manchester

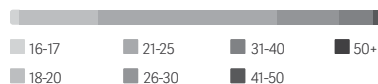
Our boutique school in Manchester has unique design features and is located in the heart of this revolutionary, entrepreneurial and innovative and cultural city. Manchester is famous for world-class football, a vibrant music scene, and its friendly 'Northern' charm.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Reception and relaxation area



Clean, bright school

135

Capacity

9

Classrooms

18

Student computers

12

Average class size (max 15)

16

Minimum age



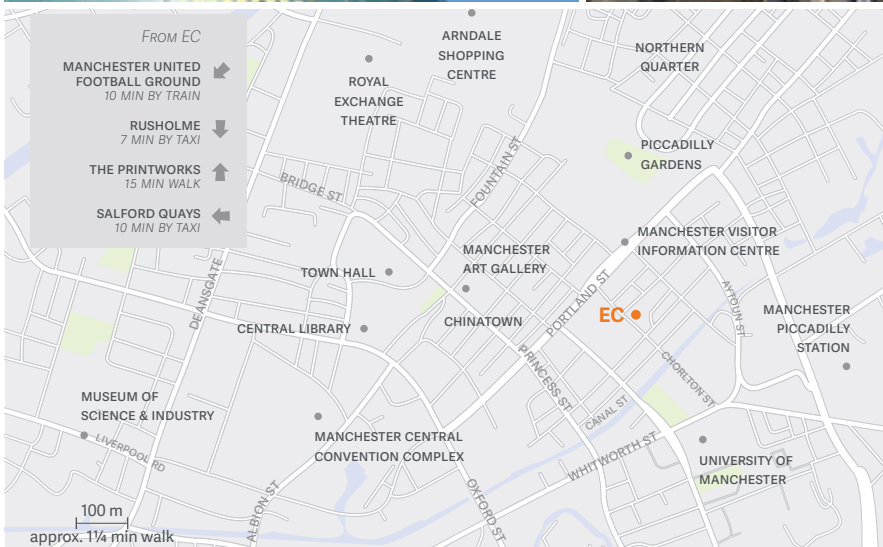
Stylish decor



A centre of football



Manchester's Town Hall



Don't Miss

Our custom-designed classrooms dedicated to Manchester's famous personalities

A visit to Old Trafford, home of celebrated Manchester United football team

Great shopping opportunities at revamped Arndale Centre and the Trafford Centre

Drinking local beers Holts and Hydes at a typically English pub

The stunning natural beauty of the North of England; the Lake District, Peak District, North Wales and historic Chester

Courses (lessons per week)

- General English (20/30)
- English for Work (30)
- Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
- Business Semester/Year (30)
- Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
- IELTS Exam Preparation (30)
- One-to-One
- Internship in London

Courses include

- Course book
- English language activities & workshops
- Welcome activity
- Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

- Homestay
- Studio
- Summer Residence



Boutique, Manchester-themed classrooms

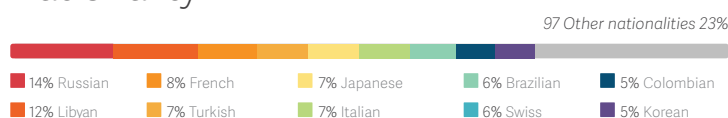


A view of Valletta, Malta's historic capital

Malta

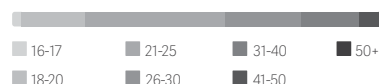
Bright, modern and bustling throughout the year, our school is located in the heart of St. Julian's, moments away from beaches, restaurants, bars and shops. Friendly teachers and staff are ready to welcome you to this beautiful Mediterranean island.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Interactive whiteboards



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Business lounge



Café in building



Roof garden



In class



Reception area

678

Capacity

62

Classrooms

20

Student computers

10

Average class size (max 12)

6

Max class size, Mini Group

16

Minimum age
(18 years,
22 Jun - 28 Aug)

23

Minimum age,
Business Mini Group



The school's beautiful roof terrace



Blue sea and golden sand at Ghajn Tuffieha



Comfortable, bright classrooms



Don't Miss

Combining your studies with a Diving course, unique to EC in Malta

The brilliant sea views and warm sandy beach at Golden Bay

The green countryside and crystal-clear waters of the laid-back island of Gozo

A trip to the Stone Age at the Megalithic Temples dating back to 5000 BC

A visit to the historic palaces, churches, bastions and forts of the Three Cities

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/30)
 English for Work (30)
 Mini Group or Business Mini Group (20/30)
 Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
 Business Semester/Year (30)
 Cambridge Exam Preparation (20/30)
 IELTS/TOEFL Exam Preparation (30)
 One-to-One
 Club 50+ (20)
 Internship

Courses include

Course book
 English language activities and workshops
 Welcome activity and dinner
 Social & cultural programme and beach club membership*
 Airport Transfers (if booking course & accommodation)
 *Summer only, excl. Sundays and public holidays

Accommodation

Homestay
 Residence
 Shared/One Bedroom Apartment



Chatting in historic Valletta

30+

CLUB 30+: (15 Jun – 4 Sep): General, Intensive and English for Work students aged 30 years+ will be placed in exclusive classes at no extra cost.

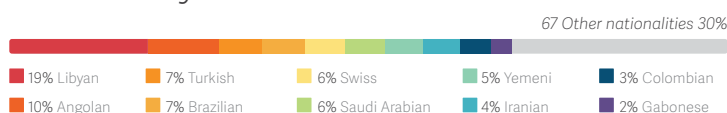


Students enjoying the view over Cape Town at sunset

Cape Town

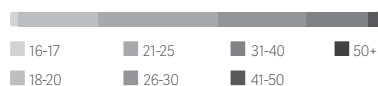
In the heart of the city, our school in Cape Town is just a few streets away from all the action of famous Long Street. The school is warm and welcoming with fantastic facilities, and stunning Table Mountain provides the view from many of the classrooms.

Nationality mix



Data varies over different time periods, courses & levels. Based on student weeks during 2014.

Age mix



Free Wi-Fi



Library



Self-study room



Student lounge



Cambridge test centre



Café in building



Reception area



In class

274

Capacity

22

Classrooms

9

Student computers

12

Average class size (max 15)

16

Minimum age



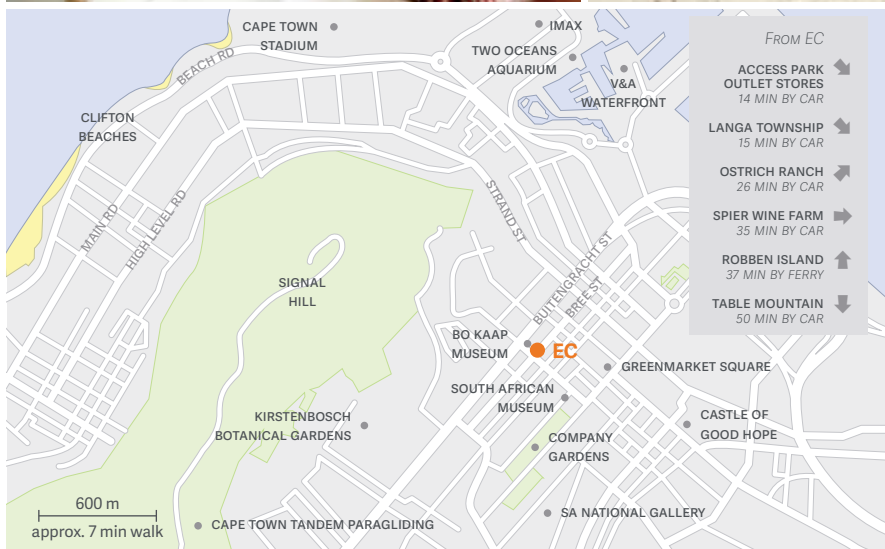
Colourful houses in Bo-Kaap



Listening practice



Playing football on the white beaches



Don't Miss

Combining your course with a 2 day Safari, exclusive to EC in Cape Town

The shops, restaurants, bars, museums and scenic views at the V&A Waterfront

The ultimate adrenaline rush with a bungee jump from the world's highest bungee bridge

Climbing the flat-topped Table Mountain for the best city viewpoint

Meeting sharks face-to-face on an adventurous shark-diving excursion

Courses (lessons per week)

General English (20/30)
English for Work (30)
Academic Semester/Year (20/30)
Business Semester/Year (30)
Cambridge Exam Preparation (30)
IELTS Exam Preparation (30)
One-to-One
Internship/Volunteer Programme
English Plus; Safari

Courses include

Course book
English language activities & workshops
Welcome activity
Social and cultural programme
Arrival Airport Transfer *(if booking course and accommodation)*

Accommodation

Homestay
Student House



Friendly teachers at engaging classes



On-Campus

at the State University of New York

Life on campus at Fredonia or Oswego is a full immersion academic and cultural experience. Learn English on hundreds of acres of beautiful, leafy grounds, while being completely integrated into an all-American university lifestyle.

EC On-Campus

Our exclusive English language learning facilities at Fredonia and Oswego include classrooms, exclusive study areas and dedicated learning resources. Our team of specialised staff are available around the clock to offer personal support and guidance on all areas of your learning and university experience.

Learn academic English

Our exclusive English for Academic Purposes course will develop all the skills you need to use English in a university setting. You will raise your level, and also learn important academic skills such as giving formal presentations, writing essays, summarising, critiquing academic texts and far more.

University facilities

As a student on campus, you will have full access to all of the university's facilities. Take advantage of extensive libraries, galleries, performing arts facilities and more. Enjoy a wide range of residential dining options, from full healthy meals to sweet treats and late night snacks.

Clubs and societies

Both Fredonia and Oswego offer a huge number of student clubs and societies you can join. Meet and make friends with like-minded students across a wide range of interests and categories, including academia, religion, culture, the environment, sports, community service and the arts.

Full immersion

Live, learn and socialise with American and other international students. You may choose to live in an authentic student residence on campus at either Fredonia or Oswego. You will practise your language skills and feel truly part of the campus way of life.

Health and wellbeing

From state-of-the-art fitness centres to full size sports fields, State University of New York campuses offer excellent facilities and dedicated teams for every sporting interest. You can also access a full range of health care services on campus and be assisted with any illness or health concern.





On-Campus at Fredonia



Fredonia offers a prestigious academic experience at a university with 5,400 students on a beautiful 250-acre residential campus, less than an hour from Buffalo, New York.



Don't Miss

National and international artists on campus at the Rockefeller Arts Centre. Over 170 events take place each year in its art galleries, theatres and 1,200-seat concert hall

Incredible sports facilities, including ice arena, fitness centre, four-lane track, racquetball courts, tennis courts, basketball courts, baseball field and full-sized soccer fields

Student organisations, including Amnesty International, Asian Culture Union, Black Student Union, Pride Alliance, Latino Unidos, Women's Student Union, and many more

The chance to learn more about American culture and build new friendships with Fredonia's Adopt a Family Programme

EC On-Campus Information

Capacity 45
Classrooms 3
Student computers 20
Students in class Average 12 (Max 15)

Minimum age 17 years
Minimum stay 4 weeks
Courses start Every other Monday

Facilities

Free Wi-Fi
Interactive whiteboards
Self-study area
Student lounge

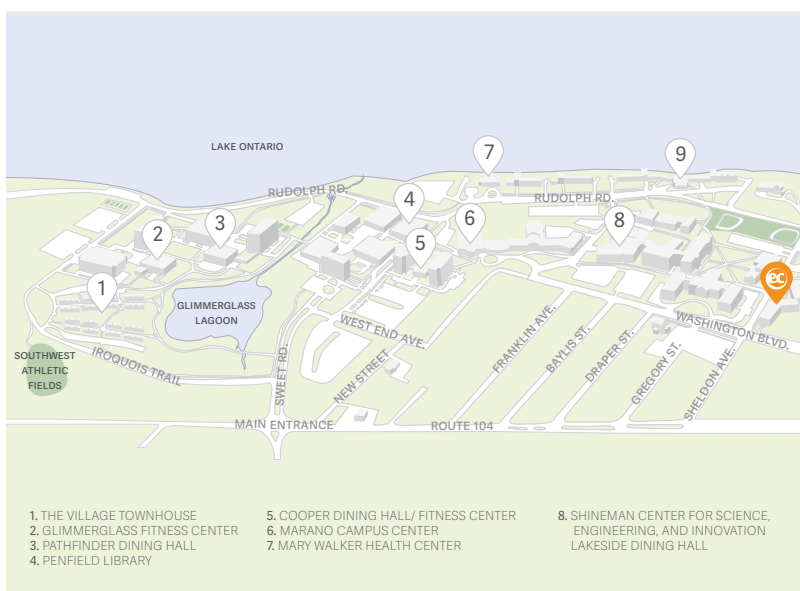
University canteen
University services



On-Campus at Oswego



Founded in 1861, Oswego's, 690-acre lakeside campus offers nearly 8,000 students an idyllic campus experience on the shores of Lake Ontario, just 45 minutes from Syracuse, New York.



Don't Miss

Over 150 student organisations, spanning a wide range of categories including academic, media, club sports, religious, cultural, special interest, the arts and community service

Oswego's many support services, activities and programmes promoting health, wellness and physical fitness

The delicious food options on campus, including residential dining centres, restaurants and snack stores

Romney Field House, the modern, weather-protected athletic facility for track and field, lacrosse, baseball, softball, tennis, golf, field hockey and soccer teams to practice

Courses

General English
Intensive English
English for Academic Purposes
GRE Preparation
University Admissions Service

Courses include

Course book
English language activities & workshops
Welcome activity
Social and cultural programme

Accommodation

University Residence



Choose Your Course

Whatever your reasons for learning, we have the perfect course for you. Let us help you reach your goal.

English for Experience & Life

Explore an amazing destination and be immersed in culture, while making international friends and gaining the language skills that will improve your life in countless areas.

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English for Education & Exams

Open doors to the most prestigious educational and professional institutions around the world by learning English and certifying it with an internationally recognised qualification.

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English for Career Success

Gain a powerful addition to your CV and the English language tools you need for success, no matter what career you choose to pursue. Get ready to shine in an international arena!

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General, Semi-Intensive & Intensive English

Your route to complete fluency and confidence in all four skills of the English language: reading, writing, speaking and listening.

Complete English training

This course will give you an excellent understanding of all aspects of the English language, and teach you the secrets of perfect pronunciation. Through interesting and engaging lessons, you will perfect the four skills of everyday English: reading, writing, speaking and listening.

Creative and inspiring classes

Our teachers are qualified and experienced, and when it comes to creating lessons, they know what works. Classes are engaging and motivating, designed to activate and build upon your strengths, whilst also giving focused attention to your weaker areas.

Your teachers create a relaxed and informal classroom environment and are trained to deliver constant support, feedback and care throughout your time with us. This focus on support and encouragement will build your confidence as you advance towards fluency.

Choose your intensity

Our flexibility means you can choose the intensity of your studies. See our Progress Planner to plan your route to fluency.

General English students receive 20 English lessons each week. Semi-Intensive students receive these core lessons, plus an additional 4 per week, based on an Elective of their choice. And Intensive English students receive the 20 core lessons plus an additional 10 Elective lessons per week.

Improve your 'thinking time'

As your skills and confidence develop, so will your ability to listen, understand, and respond quickly and effectively in English. You will notice this progress most of all when you take your English outside of the classroom and into everyday conversation with your fellow students and locals in your chosen destination.

Mini Group

Students in Malta who would prefer more teacher contact time and a smaller class size can choose our Mini-Group option. This more intimate group allows for even more personal encouragement, feedback and help from your teacher and your peers.

CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- are at any level
- want to improve your level and gain confidence in all areas of English
- want to develop your fluency in everyday situations and contexts

	General	Semi-Intensive	Intensive	Mini Group
Available	All schools	US and Canada schools (except EC On-Campus)	All schools	Malta
Level	All levels	All levels	All levels	All levels
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday
Length	Minimum 1 week (Min 4 weeks On-Campus)	Minimum 1 week	Minimum 1 week	1-4 weeks
Lessons per week	20	24	30	20 or 30
Hours per week	15	18	22.5	15 or 22.5

Personalise your studies *with Electives*

If you choose to study Semi-Intensive or Intensive English, you will tailor your course through a choice of Electives.

These motivating sessions will extend your language skills within the subject areas that are most interesting and relevant to you. Gain the language to use in specific, real-world situations and become a more motivated and confident speaker of English.



Comparative Culture & Communication Develop your understanding of different cultures, and how communication varies between them.

Academic Techniques in Practice Focus on improving the skills you really need, such as writing assignments, taking notes and preparing presentations.

The Language of Music Explore music of different types, cultures and eras, and learn the language to discuss it.

Get Talking Develop confidence, practise conversation and develop greater fluency.

Basic English Writing Boost your written English skills and develop confidence.

Global Citizenship Learn the specific English you need to discuss issues surrounding the environment, such as cultural diversity, equality, industrialisation and globalisation.

Film Studies Develop critical skills by watching, analysing and learning to express your thoughts on different types of film.

Survival English/Living in English Develop a practical understanding of English at different levels and activate your newly-acquired language in different everyday situations.

Media Studies Sharpen your analytical skills by studying a variety of news media, identifying fact, opinion and meaning.

Write Now Improve your skills in writing for different audiences, using appropriate language.

A World of Words Gain the inspiration and vocabulary to learn about and discuss world issues and global geography.

Grammar in Real Contexts Take a closer look at how the English language is structured, with a focus on relevance and appropriateness.

	Beginner	Elementary	Pre-Intermediate	Intermediate	Upper-Intermediate	Advanced
Global Citizenship			•	•		
Comparative Culture and Communication				•	•	
Academic Techniques in Practice				•	•	•
The Language of Music			•	•	•	
Media Studies				•	•	
Basic English Writing	•	•	•			
Film Studies				•	•	•
Get Talking				•	•	•
Write Now				•	•	•
A World of Words				•	•	
Survival English	•	•				
Living in English			•			
Grammar in Real Contexts				•		

Academic Semester/Year

*Living and learning abroad is an extraordinary experience.
Achieve fluency in English, challenge yourself and develop long-term friendships with people from all around the world.*



Three levels of support

You will benefit from a strong support network throughout your studies, including:

Personal class tutorials for feedback and advice from your teachers

Regular one-to-one meetings with your personal mentor

Your Academic Semester/Year Coordinator, dedicated to serving your academic needs

Get qualified

You will have the opportunity to prepare and sit an internationally recognised exam:

Cambridge Recognised by employers, universities and colleges all over the world.
IELTS Required by many universities worldwide.
TOEFL Recognised by over 8,000 academic and professional institutions.
TOEIC Used by over 10,000 companies and institutions in 120 countries.

Intensive students are also awarded an EC Diploma at the end of their course, and General or Semi-Intensive students receive an EC Certificate of Merit.

Additional benefits

- Free Academic Workshops
- Competency Descriptor for every level
- Guidance on participation and motivation
- Fully stocked library
- Full calendar of activities, many are free
- Regular homework
- Progress and level tests to keep you on track

Intensive students also benefit from the following extras:

- Independent Research Skills, a programme embedded in the course
- Reading Club



PERSONAL LANGUAGE PORTFOLIO

This exclusive study tool has been developed by EC, and will be a close companion on your journey to fluency. It will maximise your individual language development by:

- confirming your learning style
- addressing your requirements for learning
- evaluating your progress
- identifying your strengths and weaknesses
- offering strategies to improve
- recording your experiences and achievements



Tailor your learning

Semi-Intensive and Intensive students can also tailor their course by choosing from a selection of electives.

Culture & Communication

Develop your understanding of different cultures, and the variety between them.

Academic Techniques in Practice

Improve skills such as writing assignments, note-taking and preparing presentations.

Global Citizenship Learn the appropriate language to discuss issues such as the environment, equality and globalisation.

The Language of Music

Explore music of different types, cultures and eras, and learn the language to discuss it.

Get Talking

Develop confidence, practise conversation and develop spoken fluency.

Write Now Improve your skills in writing for different audiences, learning appropriate language and style.

A World of Words

Gain the inspiration and appropriate vocabulary to discuss world issues and global geography.

Survival English/Living in English

Gain a practical understanding of English and activate your new language.

Basic Writing Skills Boost your written English and gain practice and confidence in this key language skill.

Media Studies

Sharpen your analytical skills by studying news media, identifying fact, opinion and meaning.

Film Studies

Develop critical skills by analysing and expressing your thoughts on different films.

Grammar in Real Contexts

Develop a better practical understanding of how the English language is structured.

CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- dream of living and studying long-term in an English-speaking country
- want to achieve an active understanding of English across the four skills
- would like to move into an exam class or the Business Semester/Year programme after reaching the required level

	General	Semi-Intensive	Intensive
Available	All schools (except USA)	US and Canada schools (except EC On-Campus)	All schools (except EC On-Campus)
Level	All levels	All levels	All levels
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday
Length	24 weeks	24 weeks	24 weeks
Lessons per week	20	24	30
Hours per week	15	18	22.5

English for Academic Purposes

Learn the linguistic, academic and cultural skills to ensure you enter your chosen university with confidence and proficiency. Available exclusively at our On-Campus schools.

Academic English

Your English will improve in all areas, and to ensure you are prepared for life at university, we also teach you important skills such as how to give presentations, write essays, summarise, critique academic texts and far more.

Serious environment

The classroom environment mirrors that of a university to prepare you for the style of classes you can expect there. You will experience the teaching methods and standards you will face at university, while benefiting from the attentiveness and support of a school fully focused on international students.

Cultural studies

We will teach you about idiomatic language and important cultural issues, which will help you become more effective at university.

Targeted lessons

Our lessons are interactive, interesting and student-centered to ensure you remain highly motivated. Our integrated syllabus will familiarise you with the types of courses, assignments and other academic situations you will face at university.

GRE preparation elective

If you want to attend a non-EC partner university in the US, you may need a GRE (Graduate Record Examinations) score. Let us prepare you for this exam, which tests verbal and quantitative reasoning, critical thinking and analytical writing skills



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Available at	EC On-Campus at Fredonia and Oswego*
Level	All levels
Starts	Every second Monday
Length	Minimum 4 weeks
Lessons per week	30
Hours per week	22.5

*Also as an elective for those concurrently enrolled at Fredonia/Oswego universities

CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- want the skills, insight and practice to excel at university in the USA
- would like to study with serious students in a focused, academic environment
- want to boost your chances of furthering your education in the USA

University Admissions Service

Gain admission to a top-tier university in the US or Canada. From enrolling in your English course to choosing your future university, we will advise you at every stage, ensuring that your application stands out.

1

ENROL WITH EC

Choose an EC school

Choose between our 12 modern, spacious and well equipped schools in the centre of the most desirable cities across the United States and Canada. These include our new On-Campus schools at Fredonia and Oswego at the State University of New York.

Add the University Admissions Service

Add this service to any course and begin the process of attending a North American university even before leaving home. If you choose Academic Semester/Year, you will receive the standard service for free.

2

GET SPECIALIST COUNSELLING

Receive personal guidance and support

Our experienced counsellors will help you to choose the best institution for you, explore courses and majors, complete housing and financial aid applications, and ensure all documentation is correctly submitted.

Choose a university or college

Our partner universities also offer EC students TOEFL/IELTS waiver agreements and conditional admissions. This means you can get a university place even before beginning your English course, and do not need to sit an official exam at the end.

3

BECOME A UNIVERSITY STUDENT

Raise your level and get prepared

Let us bring your English up to the level required by your chosen university. Take our English for Academic Practices course or 'Academic Techniques in Practice' elective to also develop the academic, linguistic and cultural skills specific to university life.

Realise your dream

By the end of your EC experience you will have accessed your chosen university, raised your English language level and received the support, counselling, and specific academic and cultural training to excel.

Available in All schools in US and Canada
Included Comprehensive university and college advisory service, university counselling, application assistance and review, courier fees for application, conditional letter of acceptance and guaranteed partner university admission, subject to meeting entry requirements.

Our Partners

We have many carefully selected partner universities and colleges. When applying to one of these, you can benefit from a range of opportunities including conditional admissions and TOEFL/IELTS waivers

Washington Seattle Central Community College, Green River Community College | **Montana** Montana State University | **Mississippi** The University of Mississippi | **Rhode Island** University of Rhode Island, New England Institute of Technology | **New York** Berkeley College, The Art Institute of New York City, Fredonia, Oswego | **California** De Anza College, Foothill College, MiraCosta Community College, Santa Monica College, San Francisco State University, National University, UCSC Extension – Silicon Valley, California International Business University, San José City College, Alliant International University School of Management, Golf Academy of America, The Art Institute of California (Los Angeles, San Francisco, Silicon Valley, San Diego, Hollywood) | **Arizona** Northern Arizona University | **Texas** Texas Wesleyan University | **Florida** Miami International University of Art & Design | **Massachusetts** Bunker Hill Community College, Massachusetts College of Art and Design, University of Massachusetts (Boston), Lasell College, Wentworth Institute of Technology, Boston Architectural College, Bay State College, Simmons College, New England Institute of Art | **British Columbia** Royal Roads University, Sprott-Shaw College, The Art Institute of Vancouver, Douglas College, Fairleigh Dickinson University, Thomson Rivers University, Acsenda School of Management | **Ontario** Centennial College, George Brown College, Georgian College, London School of Business & Finance, Niagara College, Seneca College, Sheridan College, RCC Institute of Technology, Conestoga College, University of Guelph, Lakehead University, Confederation College | **Québec** Herzog College | **Nova Scotia** Mount Saint Vincent University

Exam Preparation

Choose from either our classic Exam Preparation courses or our exclusive Higher Score® technique, and enter your exam feeling totally prepared with the confidence to succeed.



Classic Exam Preparation courses

Available for Cambridge, IELTS, TOEFL, TOEIC and GRE, these thorough exam preparation courses will raise your English level and teach you the specific skills needed to meet or surpass your expected result.

Your exam results will reflect a significant improvement in your reading, writing, speaking and listening skills. And with continuous practice of specific tasks and sample papers, you will become familiar with the exam you are taking and learn how to answer the questions effectively.

CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- would like improve your English level
- require a combination of core English training and specific exam preparation
- want to become certified with an internationally recognised qualification

Higher Score® IELTS, TOEFL OR TOEIC

These are powerful training courses in pure exam technique. For those who are already confident in their English language abilities, Higher Score® focuses entirely on exam strategy. You will study only the English you need to pass the test.

We combine the best commercially-available course books with our own materials. All Higher Score® teachers have expert knowledge of the exams and are specially trained.

CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- are confident in your English language skills
- want to learn exactly what your exam entails and how to get the best score possible
- want to become certified with an internationally recognised qualification

Choose your exam

Cambridge

These exams are recognised by employers, universities and colleges all over the world, and the results are valid for life. Choose from:

FCE (First Certificate in English)

Suitable for those who can deal confidently with a wide range of spoken and written English.

CAE (Certificate in Advanced English)

For high-level English users who can use English for most professional and academic purposes.

CPE (Certificate of Proficiency in English)

Aimed at students who are able to function effectively in almost all English-speaking contexts.

IELTS (International English Language Testing System)

An IELTS score is required by most universities in the UK, Canada, Australia, Malta, and some in the US. It is also often required by professional bodies, and needed for immigration to Canada and Australia.

TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language)

TOEFL measures your ability to use English at university level. It is recognised by over 8,000 institutions in over 130 countries, including most North American universities.

Please note TOEFL is an elective option in London and must be combined with a course of 20 lessons per week.

TOEIC (Test of English for International Communication)

TOEIC test scores are used by over 10,000 companies, government agencies and English language learning programmes in 120 countries.

Please note TOEIC is an elective option in London and must be combined with a course of 20 lessons per week.

GRE (Graduate Record Examinations)

The GRE test measures verbal and quantitative reasoning, analytical writing, and critical thinking. It is a requirement for most graduate schools in the US.

Please note GRE is an elective option and must be combined with Intensive English or English for Academic Purposes.

Availability lessons per week	FCE	CAE	CPE	IELTS	TOEFL	TOEIC	Higher Score IELTS	Higher Score TOEFL	Higher Score TOEIC	GRE
Boston	30	30	-	24, 30	24, 30	-	-	-	-	-
New York	30	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-
Washington	-	-	-	-	24, 30	-	-	-	-	-
San Francisco	30	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
San Diego	30	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-
Los Angeles	30	30	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-
Miami	30	30	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fredonia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
Oswego	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
Montreal	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	-
Toronto	30	30	-	-	-	-	20, 24, 30	20, 24, 30	20, 24, 30	-
Vancouver	30	30	30	-	-	-	20	20	20	-
London	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30	30	30	10	-	-	-	-
Covent Garden	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oxford	20, 30	20, 30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cambridge	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brighton	20, 30	20, 30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bristol	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manchester	30	30	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malta	20, 30	20, 30	20, 30	30	30	-	-	-	-	-
Cape Town	30	30	30	30	-	-	-	-	-	-

Minimum level

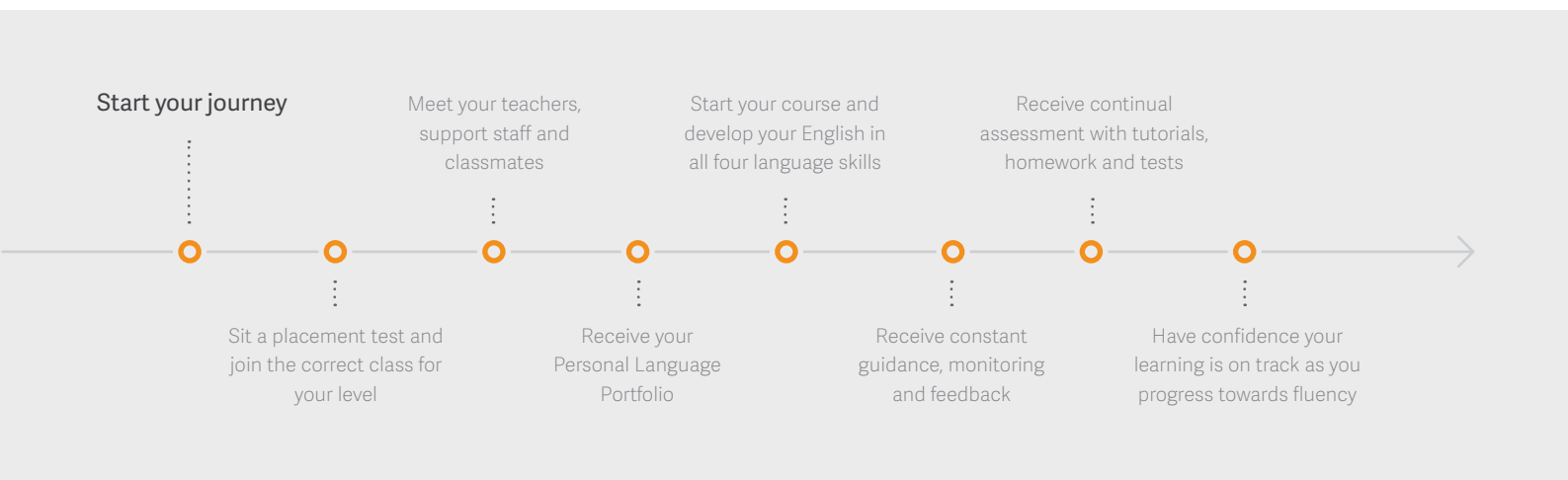
FCE	Intermediate, High Intermediate for 8 week course and Upper Intermediate for 4 week course	TOEIC	Intermediate
CAE	Upper Intermediate and Advanced for 4 week course	Higher Score® IELTS	Intermediate
CPE	Advanced	Higher Score® TOEFL	Intermediate
IELTS	Intermediate	Higher Score® TOEIC	Intermediate
TOEFL	Upper Intermediate	GRE	Advanced

Start dates

Courses start every Monday (except FCE, CAE, CPE, GRE; see price list for specific dates)

Business Semester/Year

Gain a competitive edge in the world of work. This intensive course raises your level and develops the language skills and cultural understanding you need for success.



Become fluent in the language of international business

Of your 30 lessons per week, 20 will build your core English skills, and 10 will develop your ability to communicate fluently and effectively in a wide range of corporate contexts. Language will be taught within such areas as:

Personal identification

Exchanging information about yourself, your corporate role and your company

Travel and meetings

Making reservations, enquiries, orders and bookings for events and conferences

Using the telephone

Exchanging information, taking messages, and common abbreviations and acronyms

Buying and selling

Understanding prices and rates, negotiating contracts, and making agreements and offers

Products and services

Discussing branding, supply and distribution, and making supplier comparisons

Results and achievements

Explaining company background, performance results, trends and changes

Business leadership

Chairing meetings, making recommendations and justifying your decisions

Professional relationships

Managing invitations, welcoming foreign visitors, discussing interests and leisure activities

Health and safety

Understanding and communicating workplace health and safety policy, instructions and notices

General business issues

Management, PR, CSR, conferences, HR, company budgets, sponsorship and IT

Company structures, systems and processes

Exchanging information on facilities, production, ordering and delivery systems



PERSONAL LANGUAGE PORTFOLIO

This exclusive study tool has been developed by EC, and will be a close companion on your journey to fluency. It will maximise your individual language development by:

- confirming your learning style
- addressing your requirements for learning
- evaluating your progress
- identifying your strengths and weaknesses
- offering strategies to improve
- recording your experiences and achievements



Gain an international qualification in business English

You will receive an EC Diploma at the end of your course. On request, you may also have the opportunity to prepare for and sit a Business English exam:

Business English Certificate (BEC)

A highly regarded international business English qualification, BEC is an ideal exam to take for your career. There are three levels, from Intermediate to Advanced.

Business Language Testing Service (BULATS)

Developed by Cambridge ESOL, the Alliance Française, Goethe-Institut and the Universidad de Salamanca, BULATS is designed to test the language skills of those who need to use a foreign language at work.

Mentoring and guidance

Our Business Semester/Year students receive an excellent level of personal attention, with motivation and support given on three levels:

Personal class tutorials for feedback and advice from your teachers

Regular one-to-one meetings with your personal mentor

Your Academic Semester/Year Coordinator, dedicated to serving your academic needs

Additional benefits

- Free Academic Workshops
- Competency Descriptor for every level
- Guidance on participation and motivation
- Fully stocked library
- Full calendar of activities, many are free
- Regular homework
- Progress and level tests to keep you on track
- Independent Research Skills, a programme embedded in the course
- Reading Club

CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- would like to develop the English skills to succeed in an English-speaking workplace
- want an internationally recognised Business English qualification
- would like to boost your CV and international career prospects

Available	All schools (except Montreal, Covent Garden 30+ and EC On-Campus)
Level	Low Intermediate to Advanced
Starts	Every Monday
Length	24 weeks
Lessons per week	30 (20 General English + 10 Business English)
Hours per week	22.5

English for Work

This intensive course develops the fluency, accuracy and specific communication skills you need to compete successfully in your chosen career.

Complete training

This course builds your General English skills, and then focuses on the language you will need in the workplace. You will gain the means to express yourself effectively in English across the four skills. So in future, whether you want to write a report or give a presentation, you can do so with fluency, accuracy and confidence.

Professional language focus

This course will develop your linguistic skills in the context of building an international career. You will develop your language skills within such areas as:

- Negotiating contracts
- Management and HR
- Branding and promotional strategies
- Project management
- Company budgets
- Business ethics and CSR

Understanding these key professional issues and having the language to work with them effectively will give you a distinct advantage as you progress up the career ladder.

Business skills

You will enhance valuable 'soft skills', focusing on how to justify your opinion, make recommendations, present different scenarios and resolve conflict.

You will develop practical workplace skills such as giving presentations, compiling and writing your CV, preparing for an interview and telephone techniques.

Develop your international prospects

By the end of your time with us, important doors will have opened for you. You will not only have seen great improvement in your English, but you will also have the specific language, knowledge and skills to deal confidently with a wide range of business issues.

All this will give you a vital edge over the competition as exciting new employment prospects open up around the world.



CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- want to open career opportunities in an international environment
- require a level of English in your current work
- want to boost your CV with English language and workplace skills

Available at	All schools (except EC On-Campus)
Level	Low Intermediate to Advanced
Starts	Every Monday
Minimum length	1 week
Lessons per week	30 (20 General English & 10 Business English)
Hours per week	22.5

Business Mini Group

This business-focused class has a maximum of six students. Receive more individual attention and see a faster rate of improvement.

More teacher time

Studying in a more intimate class of just six students creates a strong class dynamic and allows you to spend more time in direct contact with your teacher. This allows for more personal encouragement, feedback and help.

Relevant business topics

The content of this course adapts to the requirements of each individual group, whilst always remaining relevant to the world of work. Topics may include:

- The language of business meetings
- Giving presentations
- Conducting negotiations
- Writing professional reports and letters

Smaller classes, more confidence

In a smaller group you will enjoy a more relaxed atmosphere and stronger relationships within your class. Your confidence will grow as you feel safe and secure, with more opportunities to interact with your classmates and teacher.

General English option

If you would like the intimacy and personal attention of a smaller class, but do not require a business focus, a General English Mini Group option is also available in Malta. See page 66

CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- want to open career opportunities in an international environment
- require a level of English in your current work
- want to boost your CV with English language and workplace skills

Available in	Malta
Minimum age	23
Level	Intermediate to Advanced
Starts	Every Monday
Minimum length	1 - 4 weeks
Lessons per week	20 or 30
Hours per week	15 or 22.5

"The skills I got at EC enabled me to explore many things that I had never tried before. It became the foundation of my future life. English can broaden your options in your life. And I'm so grateful that EC let me realise it.

This year I was an interpreter volunteer in English at the Special Olympics, a sports festival for people in special need, which was a really significant experience."

Ryuichiro from Japan
studied in Malta



Work Experience Programmes

Combine your studies with a placement in an authentic workplace. Practise your language skills, boost your CV and get even more out of your experience.

Volunteer Programme

📍 in the US and Cape Town

Experience a volunteer position in an authentic English-speaking workplace. The position is unpaid but you will be provided with ongoing support throughout your placement and awarded an official letter of completion to recognise your achievement.

Farmstay

📍 in Canada

Only for the fit and active! Improve your English or French and experience life on a family farm in the Canadian countryside. Your unpaid placement could be on a ranch, fruit, vegetable or mixed farm, or a vineyard.

Charitable Volunteer Programme

📍 in Canada

Study English or French and volunteer within a registered charity. Your unpaid placement may be within community service, environmental conservation, or wildlife protection. Full-board accommodation is provided in for students on wilderness placements.

Internship Programme

📍 in the UK, Malta and Cape Town

Develop your English and enhance your CV with an internship opportunity, offered in a wide range of companies and organisations. These positions are unpaid and available to EEA, EU or Swiss students only.

CHOOSE THIS COURSE IF YOU

- would benefit from both a classroom and authentic working context
- want to see your chosen destination from a different angle
- need to develop the language skills relevant to the world of work
- would like to enhance your professional skills and gain a competitive edge

	Volunteer Programme	Charitable Volunteer	Farmstay	Internship Programme
Available in	All US schools (except New York and EC On-Campus), Cape Town	All Canada schools	All Canada schools	All UK schools, Malta, Cape Town
Minimum level	US: High Intermediate Cape Town: Intermediate	Intermediate	Low Intermediate	UK: Upper Intermediate Malta: Intermediate Cape Town: Intermediate
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday
Duration of work experience	US: Minimum 8 weeks Cape Town: 4 weeks - 6 months	4 - 16 weeks	2 - 4 weeks	UK: 4 weeks - 3 months Malta: Minimum 4 weeks Cape Town: 4 weeks - 6 months
Duration of language course required	US: 8 weeks Cape Town: 4 weeks	No restrictions	No restrictions	4 weeks
Minimum age	18	19	19	18

French Courses at EC Montreal

*Choose from our range of French courses in the unique,
beautiful and bilingual city of Montreal.*

General, Semi-Intensive & Intensive French

Improve all your linguistic skills, gain a solid understanding of the French language and be guided towards fluency. Semi-Intensive and Intensive students will also have the chance to personalise their course through a wide choice of electives.

French Academic Semester/Year

Living and learning abroad is a wonderful experience, especially in this exciting, cosmopolitan city. On this course of 24 weeks+ you will achieve fluency, challenge yourself and build international friendships. Semi-Intensive and Intensive students will also choose from a range of electives.

French for Work

Perfect if you want to gain an advantage in your professional life, this course builds your language skills within such areas as marketing, finance, management, e-business, international trade and corporate social responsibility.

DELFLDALF Exam Preparation

The DELF and DALF (Diplôme d'Etudes/ Approfondi en Langue Française) are diplomas issued by the French Ministry of Education. The results are valid for life, throughout the world. These intensive 4-week courses will build your core French language skills and focus on preparation and practice for your specific exam.

Bilingual Programme

Be immersed in the cosmopolitan culture and two languages of the world's biggest bilingual city. This course allows you to study both English and French, with either language as your primary focus, and exceptional flexibility.

If you choose our Homestay accommodation in Montreal, you can also choose to stay with a French- or English-speaking family.

	General French	Semi-Intensive French	Intensive French	French Academic Semester/Year	French for Work	DELF Exam Preparation	DALF Exam Preparation	Bilingual Programme
Available in	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal	Montreal
Level	All levels	All levels	All levels	All levels	Intermediate to Advanced	Beginner to Upper Intermediate	Advanced	All levels
Starts	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	Every Monday	see below*	see below**	Every Monday
Minimum length	1 week	1 week	1 week	24 weeks	1 week	4 weeks	4 weeks	1 week
Lessons per week	20	24	30	20, 24 or 30	30	30	30	24 or 30
Hours per week	15	18	22.5	15, 18 or 22.5	22.5	22.5	22.5	18 or 22.5

*DELF Exam Preparation: Beginner to Pre-Intermediate 02 – 27 Feb / 06 – 31 Jul

Low Intermediate to Upper Intermediate: 05 – 30 Jan / 02 – 27 Mar / 04 – 29 May / 08 Sep – 02 Oct

**DALF Exam Preparation: 06 Apr – 01 May / 03 – 28 Aug / 30 Nov – 23 Dec

English for All Ages

You can learn English and open doors to a better future at any stage in your life. We care about teaching you within contexts that are relevant to you, so we design specially tailored programmes for different age groups.

Our unique 30+ concept

Exclusively for those aged 30 years and over who want to share their experience with more mature, like-minded students, our 30+ concept is available in Covent Garden, Toronto and Malta.

A focused international environment

You will be surrounded by students from all over the world who are at a similar stage in their life to you and just as serious about their studies.

During lessons and activities you will learn about your classmates' cultural, personal and professional backgrounds, and, by the time you leave, you will have made a new international network of friends.

Language relevant to you

We design 30+ programmes specifically for more mature students, who have greater experience of life and the world of work. Through speaking, listening, reading and writing, you will learn within contexts that are specially chosen to be stimulating and relevant to you.

Our 30+ destinations

Our school in Covent Garden is exclusively for students over 30 in a quirky and colourful part of Central London, which is famous for its spectacular West End shows, street performers, markets, restaurants and nightlife.

In Toronto, students over 30 who book General, Semi-Intensive or Intensive English, or English for Work, study in a 30+ environment at no extra cost. This also applies in our Malta school during high season.

Explore and enjoy

Benefit from a high-quality activity programme featuring the top cultural highlights of your chosen destination. Mould it to your own tastes to take in the arts, sports, shopping, relaxation, nightlife, action and adventure.



Available in Level	Covent Garden, Toronto and Malta All levels in Covent Garden and Malta Pre-Intermediate to High Intermediate in Toronto
Courses	General, Intensive and English for Work in Toronto, Covent Garden 30+ and Malta plus Semi-Intensive in Toronto
Dates	All year round in Covent Garden 30+ and Toronto 15 Jun - 4 Sep in Malta

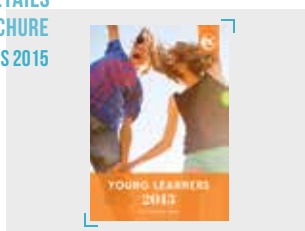
Young Learners Programmes

Action-packed study and travel experiences, available in amazing destinations in the US, Canada, UK and Malta.

From Summer Camp for our youngest learners, to Freestyle for teens and young adults, each programme presents a perfect opportunity to learn and have fun, while seeing a new, exciting part of the world and making lots of international friends.

Our Family Programme is great for families who want to combine a holiday with an unforgettable learning experience. Parents can either relax on holiday or study at one of our adult schools while their children join a day programme.

FOR MORE DETAILS
SEE OUR BROCHURE
YOUNG LEARNERS 2015



Club 50+

Exclusive to EC in Malta, this complete package of lessons and activities is exclusively for people aged 50 and over who want to travel, socialise and improve their English in the Mediterranean sunshine.



Learn English with like-minded people

Lessons focus on practical General English across the four skills of speaking, reading, writing and listening. You will be placed in a small class of just six students, all of whom are over 50.

Explore Malta

With sociable group activities and plenty of free time, you will make friends with people your age from different backgrounds and nationalities. The excursion programme includes activities that will help you discover this unique island and its culture. You will uncover Malta's rich history, enjoy its beautiful climate and enjoy fine Mediterranean cuisine.

Available in	Malta
Level	All levels
Starts	Every Monday
Minimum length	2 weeks
Lessons per week	20
Hours per week	15
Class size	Max 6

Your Pathway to Success

*On-Campus, University Admission and Career Development.
Realise your dreams of living, studying or working in North America.*

Choose your pathway

ON-CAMPUS

- Guaranteed admission to Fredonia or Oswego (State University of New York)
- Live and learn on campus, with full access to all university facilities
- Guaranteed pathway into the State University of New York, the largest state university system in the USA

UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS

- Choose to improve your English at one of EC's exceptional North American schools and access our growing network of outstanding university partners
- Receive conditional admission into partner universities with TOEFL and IELTS waivers
- Your flexible, fast and stress-free route to achieving a US or Canadian degree

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

- Choose from a vast array of short and long term study options at highly respected institutions in the USA and Canada
- Many opportunities for relevant training to improve your career prospects and skills within high growth industries
- Work experience and internship schemes are included in many of these programmes



FOR MORE DETAILS
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YOUR PATHWAY TO
SUCCESS



Student Insurance

We have created a special insurance policy with our trusted insurance provider to ensure you feel protected and secure when you travel and study with us.

Our partner **guard.me** has won the Language Travel Magazine Star Award for Best International Insurance Provider five times and is the only provider with 'Super Star Status'.

This special policy has been designed to suit the specific needs of our students travelling abroad to study on our adult courses and gives a very good level of cover for all destinations.

Enrolment is extremely easy and can be done at the same time as booking your course. You will receive confirmation of your policy from **guard.me**, and be handed your insurance policy card on arrival at your EC location.

A mobile phone app is also available for download, to ensure you have easy access to your policy details at all times.

Your policy document is available in 13 languages so you will understand it completely. And in the unfortunate case that you need to make a claim, you will have the highest level of support from the **guard.me** team who can communicate with you in multiple languages.

Your insurance cover will vary slightly by your destination country:

US and South Africa

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to a maximum of \$2m. It is important to know that whether or not you choose to take this insurance option, by law you must have health insurance to study in the US. This insurance policy covers you without excesses or co-insurance.

Canada

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to a maximum of \$2m, without excesses or co-insurance.

UK and Malta

This insurance will cover you for accidents and emergency illness up to £/€10m, plus cancellation or curtailment of your trip from within the EEA up to £/€7,500. The covers you without excesses or co-insurance.

For further details, plus Terms and Conditions, please visit: www.guard.me

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